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Hancock House Floats keeps the Bon Temps Rouler-ing



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A special "Wildest Home" award went to Gayle Adams on Court Street in Bay St. Louis. Adams will receive a free trip to Wild Acres wild animal sanctuary in McHenry in Stone County, including the "Sloth Experience."

BY GEOFF BELCHER
GENERAL MANAGER

The COVID-19 pandemic put a damper on most of the Mardi Gras celebrations in Hancock County — and everywhere else — this year, but the Carnival fun continued here in modified fashion thanks to the Hancock House Floats contest, which encouraged local home- and business-owners to decorate for the season for cash and prizes.

Elise Deano and Kay Kell — founders of the Hancock House Floats Mardi Gras celebration — on Saturday announced the "Yardi

Gras" contest winners.

"We are so excited about this," Deano said Saturday at Ruth's Roots as organizers prepared to announce the winning homes and businesses.

"We had nearly 120 contestants," Kell said.

The Krewe of Boxx home — located at 833 Old Spanish Trail — won the prize for best overall home decorations, including \$500 cash and an oyster shell that will be painted by artist She Velasquez of Ashyri Paint Box.

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Portion of Hwy. 603 to be dedicated to fallen Hancock County Lt. Deputy Michael Boutte, Sr.

BY CASSANDRA FAVRE
STAFF WRITER

A portion of Highway 603 in Hancock County will soon be designated the "Lt. Deputy Michael Anthony Boutte, Sr., Memorial Highway."

Boutte, who served with the Hancock County Sheriff's Office, was killed in the line of duty on Feb. 1 after responding to a call in the Necessite Community.

Last week, Brent Anderson, Mississippi State Representative District 122, introduced Amendment #2 to HB 424.

After speaking with Hancock County Sheriff Ricky Adam, Anderson said he moved quickly to add the amendment before the



Photo courtesy of Hancock County Sheriff's Office

Hancock County Lt. Deputy Michael Boutte, Sr.

deadline.

"We felt it was the perfect timing to do such an honor," Anderson said.

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Hancock bundles up for cold weather

BY GEOFF BELCHER
GENERAL MANAGER

Hancock County endured the coldest temperatures so far this winter on Monday and Tuesday, prompting emergency officials to open a cold weather shelter and keep a close eye on the roads.

"The Hancock County Emergency Management Agency Office and the Hancock County Volunteer Fire Departments checked the roads and bridges for icing several times," EMA Director Brian "Hooty" Adam said on Facebook Monday evening. "After checking all of the areas, all of the bridges did not have any ice accumulation on them. The I-10 Jordan River Bridge was clear and the I-10 Pearl River Bridge is clear."

"The Hancock County Road Maintenance salted all of the bridges on the north end of the county. MDOT salted the two I-10 bridges, Bayou Lacroix Bridge and state road bridges north of I-10."

Adam said law enforcement officials kept an eye out for ice on the roads throughout the night.

The EMA and Hancock County Board of Supervisors kept the cold weather shelter at the Storm Prep building in Kiln open all day Tuesday and Tuesday night, keeping six people safe and warm.

The weather forecast shows it warming up a bit on Wednesday, with a low of 43 degrees and a

HTCS 2021 Krewe of Knights



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HTCS' 2021 Krewe of Knights Royal Court.

CASSANDRA FAVRE
STAFF WRITER

This year's Mardi Gras parade looked a bit different for students at Holy Trinity Catholic School.

The annual parade was cancelled this year due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

But that didn't stop the students from second-lining down the hallways to Mardi Gras music.

The school held its parade on Friday, Feb. 12.

The students also made Mardi Gras floats out of shoeboxes, which lined the hallways for all to see.

The 2021 HTCS Krewe of Knights Royal Court: King Colton Embry, Queen Kylie Cobb, PK3 Duke Cameron Cobb, PK3 Maid Lila Kapidzic, PK3 Duke Cameron Bourgeois, PK3 Maid Kaia Maxwell, PK4 Duke

Levi Ladner, PK4 Maid Amelie Cowand, PK4 Duke Gideon Garcia, PK4 maid Everleigh Renz, Kindergarten Duke Jase Lichtenstein, Kindergarten Maid Ellie Cranford, 1st grade Duke Noah Vollenweider, 1st grade Maid Aubree Mladinich, 2nd grade Duke Cannon Wilson, 2nd grade Maid

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Mississippi Power announces \$100,000 investment in Bay St. Louis Boys and Girls Club gymnasium renovation

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Jason Farve, Area Regional Manager-West of Mississippi Power Company and board member of the Hancock County Chamber of Commerce, announced today that the company has made a \$100,000 investment in Bay St. Louis through the renovation of the Valena C. Jones building and gymnasium that is home to the Boys and Girls Club – Gulf Coast. “Through the Boys and Girls Club, our mission is to enable all young people, especially those who need us most, to reach their full potential as productive, caring, responsible citizens,” said Keva Scott, Executive Director. “This generous donation from Mississippi Power will improve the gym and school facilities to support activities to promote healthy lifestyles for our children,” she said. Mayor Mike Favre



Photo submitted

said renovating the Valena C. Jones building and gym for our children is a priority and the city is proud to be a part of this through the long standing, strong partnership with the Boys and Girls Club. He thanked local resident Art Clementine for bringing the need to restore the building to the attention of the City. “Thanks to Mississippi

Power and other donors, this renovation is now possible.” he said. Jason Farve said that as a native of the Bay, securing funds for this project was something that was very personal to him to be able to find a way to give back to the community where he grew up and to help children he sees every day. “Serving as a fiscal

manager for projects like this is what we do at the Hancock County Community Development Foundation,” said President John Wiebmer. “I cannot think of a project that is more important than helping the families and 500 young people who need after school care, while restoring a historically significant building for the City.”

Two Weeks Remain to Apply for FEMA Assistance in Mississippi

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BILOXI, Miss. – The deadline for Mississippi residents with uninsured losses from Hurricane Zeta to register with FEMA for disaster financial assistance is March 1, 2021. Survivors in George, Greene, Hancock, Harrison, Jackson and Stone counties can register with FEMA in several ways: Visiting DisasterAssistance.gov

Using the FEMA App for smartphones Calling 800-621-3362 (800-462-7585 TTY). Multilingual operators are available. Telephone lines are open 6 a.m. to midnight Central Time seven days a week. Those who use a relay service such as a videophone, InnoCaption or CapTel should provide FEMA with their specific phone number assigned to that service. The filing deadline to return U.S.

Small Business Administration (SBA) applications for physical property damage is also March 1, 2021. The deadline to return SBA economic injury applications is Oct. 1, 2021. For more about Hurricane Zeta recovery in Mississippi, visit the FEMA disaster webpage at <https://www.fema.gov/disaster/4576> or the Mississippi Emergency Management Agency webpage at <https://www.msema.org/zeta/>.



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- Pursuit of Grant for Outdoor Amphitheater
- Old Spanish Trail Lighting Project
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- Fulfilled MML Requirements in 2 years, working on Advanced Credits.
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Anderson said that his 14-year background in law enforcement along with knowing that Lt. Boutte was a hero in Hancock County, spurred his decision.

“It’s the least of an honor I can give to him to leave his mark in Hancock County,” Anderson said. “It’s a great honor and remembrance of him of his actions he did before his passing. My deepest sympathies and prayers are with his family, the sheriff, the sheriff’s office, and deputies.”

The segment dedicated to Lt. Boutte will begin at Highway 603’s intersection with Highway 43 and extend northerly



Photo courtesy of Brent Anderson
District 122 State Representative Brent Anderson introduced an amendment to HB 424 to dedicate a stretch of Highway 603 to the late Lt. Deputy Michael Boutte, Sr.

(about 3.1 miles) to its intersection with Rocky-Hill Dedeaux Road, the amendment states.

Adam said that he and Anderson decided on that particular stretch because Boutte worked

mostly north of Kiln.

“He liked the country and that part of Highway 603,” Adam said.

Typically, in Hancock County, Adam said, most of the roads have been dedicated to state troopers killed in the line of duty.

“This will be a daily reminder of two things,” Adam said. “The good person that he was and remind our deputies how great a deputy he was.”

Anderson said that the bill passed the house and transmitted to the senate. Once past the senate, it will travel to Gov. Tate Reeves’ desk. After the governor signs the bill, the Mississippi Department of Transportation will construct and maintain signs along and approaching the segment of highway dedicated to Boutte.

MSDH reports 734 new cases of COVID-19, 37 deaths statewide; 14 new cases in Hancock

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The Mississippi State Department of Health (MSDH) on Tuesday reported 734 new cases of COVID-19 and 37 deaths, including 14 new cases in Hancock County.

“Four deaths occurred on Feb. 14, and 33 occurred between Nov. 11 and Feb. 10, identified from death certificate reports,” according to the agency’s statement Tuesday. “Mississippi’s total of COVID-19 cases now stands at 288,714, with 6,501 deaths.

“Among cases and deaths already reported, MSDH has identified two new cases in residents of long-term care facilities, and no deaths. There are currently 112 ongoing outbreaks of COVID-19

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The Pearl of Bay St. Louis

BY GEOFF BELCHER
GENERAL MANAGER

If the first month-and-a-half of operation of the Pearl Hotel is any indication, 2021 is going to be a good year for Old Town Bay St. Louis. “It’s been a wild ride,” Pearl General Manager Sarah Cure Clark said last week. “It’s going really well. It feels like we’ve been open for a year, but we’ve only been open for a month. “All of us feel like we’ve been doing this forev-

er. We’re getting into the flow, and it’s still a learning experience for us all.” Construction started on the 59-suite luxury boutique hotel at the corner of Main Street and Beach Boulevard two years ago under the guidance of Cure Land Company. All of the rooms feature balcony views overlooking either North Beach Boulevard and the Bay St. Louis Marina or Main Street. The Pearl’s ground floor houses a Southern seafood restau-

rant, the Thorny Oyster, and barbecue haven Smoke, owned and operated by chefs Jeffry and Amy Hansell. It also features Hinge, a cozy bar that serves signature craft cocktails, wines, spirits and select beers. The second floor features an outdoor pool and gazebo for guests to enjoy. The Pearl opened just before New Year’s, and the first guests to check

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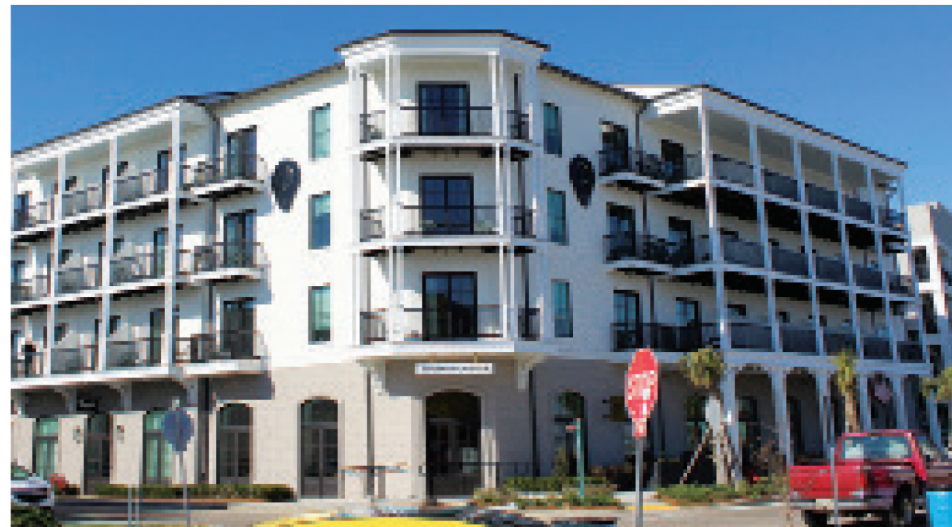


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The Pearl Hotel in downtown Bay St. Louis.

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Bella Hebert, 3rd grade Duke Nolan Holmes, 3rd grade Maid Chloe Crawford, 4th grade Duke Marshall Murphy, 4th grade Maid Leighton Grant, 5th grade Maid Baileigh Breau, 5th grade

Maid Ivy Holmes, 6th grade Duke Michael Walton, 6th grade Maid Libby Benigno, 6th grade Duke Jack Timberlake, and 6th grade Maid Lexie Ladner.

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Opinion

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Winter memories

It would seem that we dodged the worst of the winter weather this week.

On Monday morning, I got a few pictures from my sister who lives in South Texas.

My nephew was playing outside in the snow that had fallen over night.

He had woken her up to exclaim that “it snowed!” and also took a couple of monster trucks outside to enjoy riding in the snow.

Even though we can’t be together, I’m grateful that technology allows for me and my parents to be able to share in these special moments with him.

As a child of Southern Mississippi, I never experienced snow that often at home. I remember the intense excitement, though. Even if it was just some sleet and ice, the way it blanketed everything in glistening white made the world seem magical.

My mom’s parents lived in Kentucky.

During our winter visits, it often snowed. And yes, we still had to go outside to help Grandma feed the animals. Granddaddy would often laugh and shake his head at his “city” granddaughters.

There was one time I wondered if my wet hair would freeze outside. So, after my shower, I went outside with my wet head to see. It did in fact start to freeze up and felt crunchy. But, I started to panic thinking that my hair would break off like a twig if I stayed outside so it could freeze. So, I quickly ran inside to save my hair.

I remember making a tiny snowman with my grandparents, parents, and sister. At that time, I still thought snow was a magical thing to behold.

That is until I had to shovel it in Colorado.

After Hurricane Katrina, I thought I might move up there. It’s a beautiful place located near the Rocky Mountain National Park and Estes Park.

It was there that I experienced my first “real” winter. I remember walking inside a movie theater to watch one of the Harry Potter movies. It was a dreary day, but no snow. After the movie, the whole area was covered in white and it was still snowing.

The city would also fine residents who didn’t shovel the snow on the sidewalk in front of their house.

So I shoveled that snow. It’s not hard, but you get cold and wet pretty fast even when wearing gloves and warm boots.

After a few days, the snow would turn into a sludgy and brownish-colored mess that I would see piled onto the edge of the roads, in the yards, and in park-



STAFF COLUMN

BY Cassandra Favre

Mississippi House Weekly SUMMARY-WEEK OF FEB. 8

This was the sixth week of the 2021 Legislative Session. The House met as whole throughout the week to discuss bills that made it out of committee and onto the calendar. Thursday, Feb. 11 was the deadline for members to introduce and discuss these general bills. Over 100 bills were brought up and discussed in session this week. Any bills not discussed in session and left on the calendar have died. The bills that were considered dealt with a variety of topics.

The Mississippi Intercollegiate Athletics Compensation Rights Act (House Bill 1030) was a bill introduced late on Thursday. The bill would allow university and college student athletes in Mississippi to receive compensation if their name or likeness is used in advertising. A few amendments were passed without debate. A third amendment was introduced that contained language similar to a bill that passed through the Senate

this week (Senate Bill 2536). Proponents of the amendment said that it would protect female sports from male participation, while opponents



Guest Column

By Rep. Brent Anderson

argued that the language could affect women who already play male sports and athletes born with both male and female reproductive organs. After a point of order was raised and the original amendment was withdrawn, a fourth amendment was introduced clarifying that biologically male student athletes cannot receive compensation for likeness in sports designated for females. The bill

passed the House by a vote of 89-23.

The House Judiciary A Committee introduced House Bill 196, or the Dignity for Incarcerated Women Act. The act would elevate the level of care for female inmates by limiting use of restraints on incarcerated inmates giving birth, by providing feminine hygiene products for inmates who are in need and by placing incarcerated mothers within a certain distance to their minor children. The bill passed unanimously by a vote of 116-0 and has been sent to the Senate for consideration.

House Bill 852 would raise the salaries of teachers and teacher’s assistants around the state. The bill includes a \$1,100 raise to assistants and teachers with less than two years of experience and a \$1,000 raise for other teachers. The bill passed by a bipartisan vote of 119-2 and will now move through the Senate.

House Bill 1013 would create the Mississippi Medicaid Com-

mission to administer the state’s Medicaid program. The bill would also abolish the Division of Medicaid that currently runs the program. The commission would consist of seven members: three appointed by the governor and four appointed by the lieutenant governor. The commission would then appoint an executive director to oversee the program. The bill passed by a vote of 102-25. It was then held on a motion to reconsider, but that motion was later tabled.

One bill that failed to receive a majority this week was House Bill 163. The bill would have created a new circuit court district consisting of Itawamba, Lee, Monroe and Pontotoc Counties. These counties are currently in the First Circuit Court District along with Alcorn, Tishomingo and Prentiss Counties. The bill failed by a vote of

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HOPE HAVEN CHILDREN’S ADVOCACY CENTER

Thanks Community for Continued Support During Winter Fundraiser

Hope Haven Children’s Advocacy Center would like to extend a huge thank you to the members of the community who supported our mission during this year’s winter campaign. “This year’s winter campaign was extremely successful, particularly given the difficulties of the past year. The funds raised go directly to providing important services to children who have been abused and also supports families in need throughout the community through some of the ongoing programs many citizens associate with Hope Haven”, says Hope Haven’s Executive Director, John James.

Hope Haven Children’s Advocacy Center, which was opened originally in 1995 as a shelter, now serves children and families in Hancock and Pearl River Counties as a Child Advocacy Center (CAC). As a CAC, Hope Haven’s primary mission is to serve children who have experienced sexual abuse or severe physical abuse. The agency has specially trained staff who provide forensic interviews, parenting classes for the non offending caregiver, advocacy, and referrals for forensic medical exams and mental health services. The CAC prides themselves on being a “hub” for all the services a child needs af-

ter experiencing severe abuse. The Hope Haven team works closely with law enforcement, the court, the District Attorney’s Office, specially trained medical providers, and all other services the child works with throughout the case investigation and prosecution process. The agency also offers child sexual abuse prevention training, outreach events, and other services as needed to serve the people of Hancock and Pearl River Counties.

All services at Hope Haven are provided to the client free of charge. Donations received during the winter fundraiser helps pay for forensic interviews,

counseling services, parenting classes and case advocacy. Hope Haven sees over 300 children a year for forensic interviews, each interview is estimated to cost CAC’s around \$400. Counseling services for a child can cost \$100 or more for an hour of counseling. Hope Haven serves these children and their families without regard to their ability to pay. They cover all fees if the family is unable to pay them or have no insurance. Hope Haven relies on grants and donations to continue to provide these essential services

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Obituaries

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FAITH E. KIDD

Faith E. Kidd passed away Friday February 5, 2021 in Diamondhead, MS at the age of 85. She was a native of New Orleans, Louisiana. She was proceeded in death by her parents Ruby Mills Hearty and Hugh L. Hearty, her brother Louis L. Hearty and a lifelong friend, Ruby Bell of Slidell, LA. She is survived by nieces Susan Ladner and her spouse Fitzgerald, Krystal Doran and her spouse Robert, Holly Hearty and Ruby Samantha Adams and her spouse David. Great nieces and nephews Tangy Breaux, Ray

Louis Billeaud, Nicholas Billeaud, Haley Hearty, Christopher Hearty, Aspen Hearty and Reggie Walker and great great nieces and nephews Christopher Jones Jr, Jayden Breaux and Austin Jones. She is also survived by a friend and sister-in-law Lucille Brown. She was a long-time member of the Word of Faith Church in New Orleans, LA. She will be sadly missed by all. Church service arrangements are incomplete at the present. Trinity Funeral Services is honored to serve the Kidd family in their time of need. Please keep them in your thoughts and prayers in this difficult time.

HAYWARD PERKINS

Hayward Perkins, age 75, a resident of Kiln, passed away Wednesday, February 10, 2021 in Gulfport.

Mr. Perkins was born to Hildon and Ittia Perkins in 1946. He was a lifelong resident of the Coast and loved rabbit and coon hunting; but his greatest love was for the Lord.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Zelma Perkins; his parents, a brother, and a sister.

Hayward is survived by his children, Connie

Perkins, Bobby (Angela) Perkins; his grandchildren, Winstonn, Samantha, Daisy; his brother, ML Perkins; and many nieces, nephews, sisters-in-law, brothers-in-law, all who he loved very much.

The visitation will be held on Sunday, February 14, 2021 at 11am, at the residence of Frankie Cuevas, 25068 Road 302, Kiln, MS 39556. The funeral service will be on Monday, February 15, 2021 t 1pm, also at the family residence. Burial will follow in Wolf Creek Cemetery.



RIEMANN FAMILY FUNERAL HOME, 9113 Kiln Delisle Rd., Pass Christian is serving the family. An online guestbook my be signed and condolences and photos shared at www.riemannfamily.com.

WILLIAM JOSEPH (BILL) POWER, JR.

William Joseph (Bill) Power, Jr., peacefully passed away on Monday, February 1, 2021, at the age of 84. Born on August 16, 1936 in New Orleans, LA, he is survived by his beloved wife of 35 years, Janet Saucier Power, his children, William Power, III (Amor), Becky Power, Stacey Ladner (Brett), Brent Anderson (Maureen), and Amy Power (Mark), 12 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren, with whom he held a special bond. He is also survived by his sister, Georgia Power Horne (George), his brother, Michael Power (Jean), and by his many nieces, nephews, great nieces, and great nephews with whom he had special relationships.

He was preceded in death by his parents, William Joseph Power, Sr. and Georgia Mamola Power.

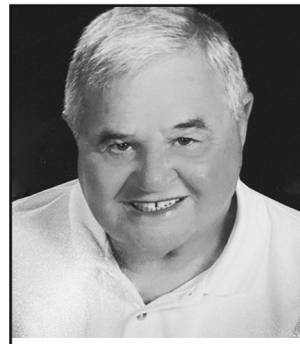
In his youth, Bill was an avid Boy Scout and achieved the rank of Eagle Scout. He loved spending summers at Camp Salmen, in Slidell. Upon graduation from De La Salle High School, Bill enlisted in the Marine Corps, achieving the rank of “Buck” Sergeant and served in the Mohavi Desert. Upon his honorable discharge in 1959, he went on to receive a degree in electrical engineering from the University of South Western Louisiana. He spent his career working

in the space industry at Michoud in New Orleans and at Stennis Space Center in Mississippi. He retired from the Boeing Company.

Because of his love for adventure, Bill became a passionate traveler. He loved taking cruises with his family and friends, visiting beautiful beaches and scuba diving spots, and traveling throughout Europe. One of his most favorite adventures was a sailing trip to the Bahamas where he and his children served as the crew. He also enjoyed skydiving, and loved to recount stories of both his skydiving experiences and earning his pilot’s license. Bill also loved to tell the story about the time he and his friend, Phil, went to Miami with \$25 dollars, a loaf of bread, and a pack of bologna.

Bill was a loyal friend and proud Marine. He prided himself on continuing his childhood and Marine friendships throughout his life. One of Bill’s favorite pastimes was Friday morning breakfasts with his local Marine buddies and monthly dinners with his grammar school friends in New Orleans. A devout Catholic dedicated to St. Clare Catholic Church, Bill spent many years donating his time to St. Clare and its parishioners. He was a proud Republican and volunteered at local voting stations over the years.

Bill possessed a win-



ning personality, was quick-witted and always armed with a joke, and constantly proved his generosity by helping others. He boasted that he was able to “check off everything on his bucket list”. Bill will be greatly missed by his family and friends.

A celebration of Bill’s life was held at St. Clare Catholic Church, 236 South Beach Blvd, Waveland, MS, 39576, on Friday, February 12, 2021. Visitation will be open to the public from 10-11 a.m., and a memorial Mass will begin at 11 a.m., with a reception immediately following. The family will hold a private burial at a later date. In lieu of flowers, the family has requested that Mass Intentions or charitable donations be made in Bill’s honor to either St. Clare Catholic Church or to the Marine Corps League, P.O. Box 3092, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520.

RIEMANN FAMILY FUNERAL HOME, Bay/Waveland is serving the family.

An online obituary may be viewed and memor- ories shared at www.riemannfamily.com

GRACIE LUCINDA RESTER

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ROSE MARIE THOMAS “BIG RO”

Funeral service will be held Friday, February 18, 2021 at 11 am in Little Zion Baptist Church for Rose Marie Thomas “Big Ro” age 82 of Waveland, MS., who died Sat. Feb. 6, 2021 in Ochsner Hancock Medical Center in Bay St. Louis, MS. Minister Lanita Wallace will officiate at the service. Burial will be in the Waveland Cemetery under the direction of Baylous Funeral Home. A native of Savannah, MS. She was a member of Little Rock United Methodist Church. Survivors include: 4 sons James Thompson,

Robert Thompson, and Richardson Thompson all of Waveland, MS., Leroy Thompson of Saucier, MS., 5 daughters, Christine Mendoza of Bay St. Louis, MS., Mary Prejean of Houston, TX., Amy Thomas and Rose Marie Thompson and Tammie Thomas all of Waveland, MS., 24 grandchildren, 33 great grandchildren, 11 great great grandchild, 2 brothers, Oscar Thomas, and Edward Thomas both of Waveland, MS., 4 sisters, Julie Thomas of Bay St. Louis, MS., Pinky Lee Smith, Mary Lee Hall and Marie James all of Waveland, MS., a host of nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.



Preceded in death by parents, Oscar and L.R. Nell Thomas, siblings Walter, Julius, Betty Lee, Esther Lee, James and Eloise, grandchildren; Erica, Ray Anthony Jessica, Lakeisha, Jezreel. Visitation will be Friday, February 19, 2021 in Little Zion Baptist Church, under the direction of Baylous Funeral Home.

PATRICIA ANN NOONAN WARMAN

Patricia Ann Noonan Warman, 77, of Waveland, MS passed away Sunday, February 14, 2021 in Waveland, MS. Patricia was a member of St. Clare Catholic Church in Waveland. She was a past queen for the Krewe of Nereids Parade in Waveland and she was a member of the Pass Christian Golf Club. She was a wonderful and loving mother, grandmother, sister and aunt who will be sadly missed by her family and friends. She was preceded in death by her husband, Rich-

ard Warman and parents, Richard and Gladys Schubert Noonan. She is survived by her two sons, Samuel Warman (Beffie) of Madison, MS and David Warman (Jenea) of Waveland, MS; two brothers, Richard Noonan (Shirley) of Bremerton, WA and Alan Noonan (Lana) of Waveland, MS; two sisters, Marilyn Smith of Waveland, MS and Barbara Livers (Peter) of The Villages, FL; four grandchildren, David Warman, Jr., Madison Warman, Drake Warman and Hilary Thomas and numerous nieces and nephews. Visitation will be held



Friday, February 19, 2021 at St. Clare Catholic Church in Waveland, MS from 11:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon with a Mass of Christian Burial at 12:00 noon. Interment to follow at Waveland, Cemetery in Waveland, MS. Edmond Fahey Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

MSDH Confirms First Case of COVID-19 Variant Strain

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Today the Mississippi State Department of Health (MSDH) confirms the first case of a COVID-19 variant strain in a Mississippi resident.

A case of the B.1.1.7 UK variant strain of COVID-19 was confirmed during routine testing.

No international travel or spread to contacts is known to have occurred, but additional investigation is ongoing.

The B.1.1.7 variant strain has been identified in 40 U.S. states and is known to spread more easily and quickly than other strains. While suspected, currently there is no direct evidence that this strain causes a more severe infection or a higher risk of death.

MSDH continues to expand surveillance for variant strains in Mississippi, and it is likely that additional cases will be identified. Current available

vaccines are expected to be effective against variant strains, but further research continues.

Mississippians are strongly encouraged to wear a mask, social distance, avoid large gatherings, and wash hands frequently. Vaccination is also encouraged for those who are eligible. Current eligibility includes Mississippi residents or those who work in Mississippi ages 65 and older, or those 16-64 with certain underlying conditions, healthcare personnel, and residents of long term care facilities.

For eligibility criteria, visit the MSDH website at HealthyMS.com/covid19. To schedule an appointment at an MSDH drive-through clinic, visit covidvaccine.umc.edu or call the COVID-19 hotline at 1-877-978-6453.

Follow MSDH by e-mail and social media at HealthyMS.com/connect.

VFW CAR SHOW

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The VFW Auxiliary 3253, located at 208 Third St., Bay St. Louis, will host its 9th annual Open Car Show on Feb.

27. Registration is from 8 a.m. until noon. (Day of the show only) \$25 registration fee. Participant voting. Dash plaques for first 50 vehicles. Awards at 1:30 p.m. Top 20 Vehi-

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Devotional Page

Taking one step forward and two steps back

BY GARY ANDREWS

Have you ever had one of those days when you have done the best you can at whatever you are trying to do to find out that you actually are further behind than when you started? I have!

This is not a good feeling and I know that many people share this feeling with me. It doesn't matter what business you are in there are going to be times when you feel you have made progress in a specific area only to find out that problems occurred when you made the improvement.

Life treats us this way if we allow it to. Many of us will be down on our luck, whether it is a debt problem, a wellness problem, or any other problem that the world can throw our way. Many of us will feel there is no way out of our situation or anyway to go around it. Over my many years of experience in the media business I found out the best way to tackle a problem is to take it head on. If you made a mistake, admit it and move on. If you have a wronged a person, admit it and apologize for it, then move on. If you have taken on too much debt, and how many of us haven't, face it and talk to your creditors and ask for help. Most of them are willing to work with you. When we try to fix money problems by ourselves, we find that borrowing more only puts us into debt further and creates more problems. Most of our money problems come from being desirous of worldly things which satisfies for the moment however doesn't mean a thing when we leave this world. Much of our life is spent worrying about something we don't have or trying to fix something that is meaningless. For those of us that know Christ personally know that He is in

control and will take care of our problems if we take them to Him and leave them at His feet. Many years ago I had the unpleasant task of relieving an employee of her duties. She was a person that knew Jesus however through some of her actions it was difficult for me to see her being in a Christ like way. Understanding that she had problems outside the workplace, she was one of the best examples of moving ahead one step forward and then slipping and falling two steps behind. It is my sincere wish that since her departure that she has found her dependence on Jesus is all that she needs if she will take her problems to Him and ask for help. She worried over things that were so small that to overcome them would be easy. The more she worried the bigger the problems become until it caused her to lose the job she had. Not only did her worrying get her into more problems, she also blamed Jesus for her departure.

Philippians 4:6-7 tells us, "Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God, and the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus."

Worrying solves nothing and creates, in many cases, health issues. When we feel that we are losing ground in our problems, we need to trust in Christ and lay these burdens down. He will lead us in the right direction and ease our pain.

Prayer: Lord guide me and direct me in all that I do. I pray that you will always guide me in my ways, my attitude, and my wisdom. Amen.

Suggested DAILY BIBLE READINGS

• SUNDAY

Psalm 13:1-6

• MONDAY

Mark 4:13-20

• TUESDAY

1 Kings 1:50-53

• WEDNESDAY

Philippians 2:25-30

• THURSDAY

Proverbs 12:23-28

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Matthew 25:34

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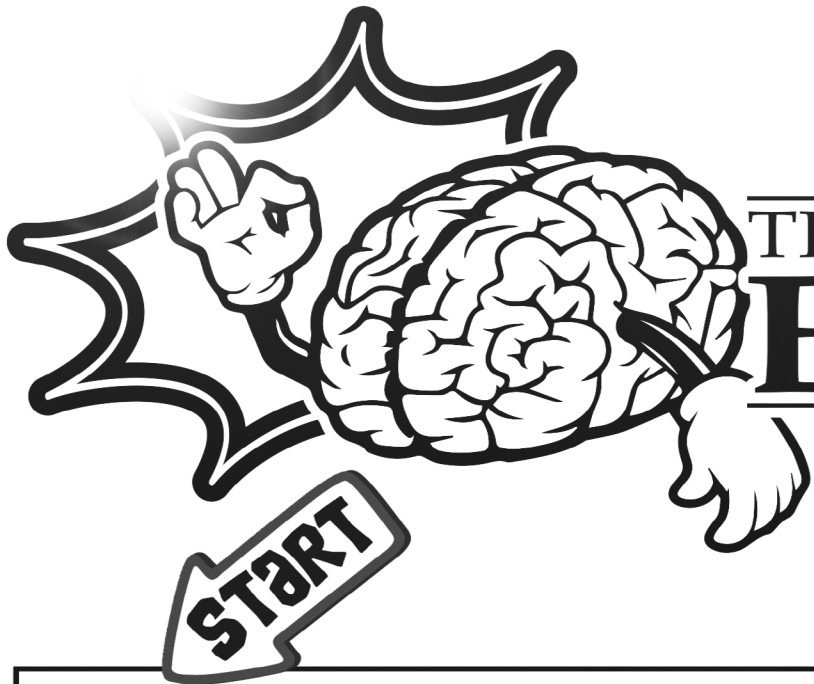
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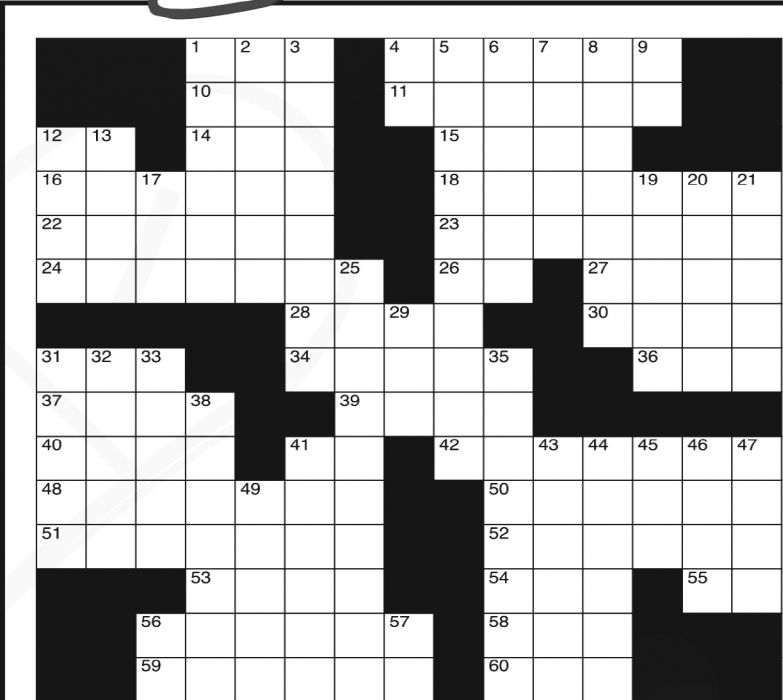
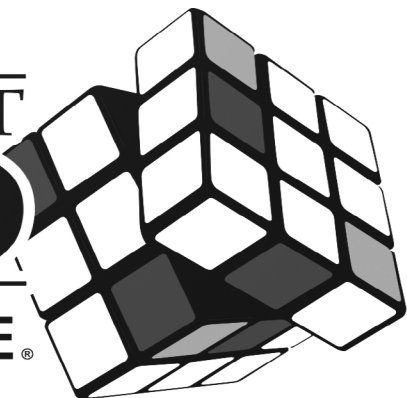
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4. Picked

10. Type of whale

11. A woman of refinement

12. New England state

14. Common gibbon

15. Tall coniferous tree

16. State capital

18. Making a liquid muddy

22. Vinegary

23. Peninsula

24. Thee

26. Atomic #55

27. Used in units of measurement

28. Welsh female name

30. Arab ruler title

31. One's mother

34. Trap

36. Soviet Socialist Republic
37. Assn. of oil-producing countries

39. Holy fire

40. Emit coherent radiation

41. Atomic #81

42. Orthodox Jewish college

48. Herbs

50. Ran after

51. Begin again

52. Named

53. Barbary sheep

54. Unwell

55. Postscript

56. Drivers

58. One point east (clockwise) of due north

59. Prim

60. A facility equipped for sports or physical training

CLUES DOWN

1. Small islands

2. Skullcap

3. Unexplained events

4. One hundredth of a meter

5. Beloved baseball announcer

6. Repulsive

7. Northern European languages

8. Match or surpass

9. Northeast

12. Chew the fat

13. Innovative industry

17. Land to put down to grass

19. Products

20. Nostril

21. Surprise Icelandic politician

25. Conclusive acts
29. Inform on

31. Grinding tooth

32. Keep up

33. Tablelands

35. Raising

38. Mythical creature

41. Hums

43. Mountain in Antarctica

44. Neighborhood in Manhattan

45. Distinctive practice

46. Vice president

47. Contributes to

49. Small bones

56. Oil company

57. Empire State

Even Exchange by Donna Pettman

Each numbered row contains two clues and two 6-letter answers. The two answers differ from each other by only one letter, which has already been inserted. For example, if you exchange the A from MASTER for an I, you get MISTER. Do not change the order of the letters.

1. Blackeye _ _ _ N _ _ _ Get goosebumps _ _ _ _ V _ _ _

2. In need of practice R _ _ _ _ In need of a polish D _ _ _ _

3. Infuriate _ _ _ R _ _ _ Place behind bars _ _ _ C _ _ _

4. Rosie's bolt _ _ _ _ T Danube or Po _ _ _ _ R

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6. Skin blemish _ _ _ U _ _ _ Stew in a closed pan _ _ _ A _ _ _

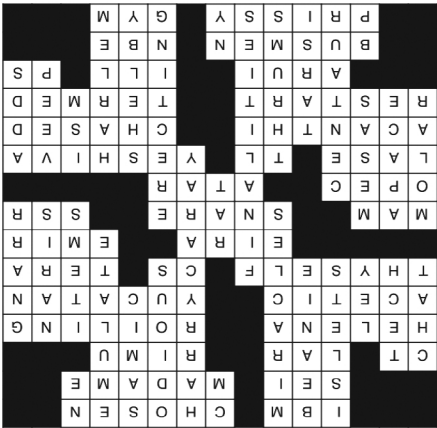
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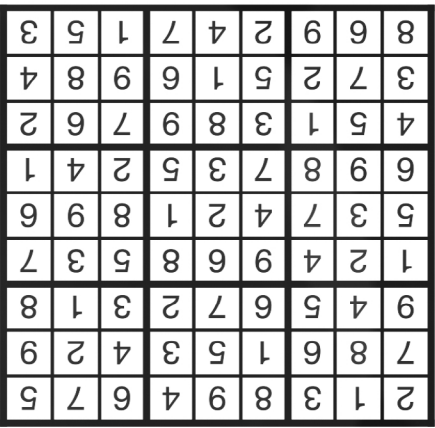
9. West Indian dance _ _ _ _ O Arms and legs _ _ _ _ S

10. Tent dweller _ _ _ M _ _ _ Friendly apparition _ _ _ S _ _ _

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6. A dazzle or zeal
7. Charles Dickens
8. Meow Mix
9. Connecticut
10. England, Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland



1. Trail, Train
2. Wander, Wonder
3. Gross, Grass
4. Comet, Corset
5. Saber, Sober
6. Jerry, Terry
7. Entire, Entice
8. Apple, Apple
9. Linger, Longer
10. Handy, Hardy

Even Exchange answers

Trivia test by Fifi Rodriguez

1. THEATER: Which city was the setting for the musical "Cabaret"?
2. LANGUAGE: What does the Latin phrase "veritas vos liberabit" mean?
3. TELEVISION: What was the name of the pet "dog" on "The Flintstones"?
4. ASTRONOMY: What is a zenith in terms of our solar system's sun?
5. HISTORY: How many days were in
6. ANIMAL KINGDOM: What is a
7. LITERATURE: Which 19th-century novelist's last work was titled "The Mys
8. AD SLOGANS: Which brand of pet food uses the slogan, "Tastes so good
9. U.S. STATES: Which state's residents might be called "Nutmeggers"?
10. GEOGRAPHY: Which four countries are included in the United Kingdom?

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Call Sammy at 228-493-2529

81 Appliances

SERVICE CALLS ON MOST major home appliances. Over 25 years experience. Call Benny 228-216-1958.

96 Wanted to Buy

WE BUY OLD GOLD, SILVER and coins. Bay Jewelers, 228-466-0425.

WE BUY GUNS

Top \$ paid,
315-272-6211

141 Businesses For Sale

Established business for sale: Reduced price \$209,000 includes \$90,000 inventory & equipment. Lease transferable. Call for details, Pat Robinson Realty 228-363-1956

143 Real Estate Services



EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY

PUBLISHER'S NOTICE

All real estate advertised in this newspaper is subject to the Federal Fair Housing Act of 1968, as amended, which makes it illegal to advertise "any preferences, limitation or discrimination based on race, color, religion, sex, handicap, familial status or national origin, or an intention to make any such preference, limitation, or discrimination." Familial status includes children.

158 Commercial Property

For Rent:
600 sq.ft. office,
3400 sq.ft. warehouse attached,
5000 sq.ft. yard space.

modification under MDEQ's Ready-Mix Concrete General Permit to construct and operate a Ready-Mix Concrete facility. The Ready-Mix Concrete General Permit has been developed to ensure compliance with all State and Federal regulations. Facilities granted coverage under this permit and adhering to the conditions contained therein should operate within State and Federal environmental laws and standards concerning the construction and operation of air emissions equipment and the discharge of wastewater and storm water associated with industrial activities.

The proposed project consists of construction and/or operation of a Ready-Mix Concrete facility with a maximum concrete production rate exceeding 150 cubic yards per hour. Therefore, the facility is limited by the General Permit to an annual production rate of no more than 1,000,000 cubic yards of concrete. With this annual limit, potential emissions will be below the Prevention of Significant Deterioration major source thresholds as specified in the Mississippi Regulations for the Prevention of Significant Deterioration of Air Quality, 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, Ch. 5. Potential emissions will also be below the Air Title V major source thresholds as specified in 11 Miss. Admin. Code Pt. 2, Ch. 6.

Persons wishing to comment upon or object to the proposed request for coverage are invited to submit comments in writing to the Water II Branch Manager, Environmental Permits Division at the Permit Board's address shown above or via email at www.mdeq.ms.gov/williams-becky no later than 30 days from the public notice start date. All comments received or postmarked by this date will be considered in the determination regarding coverage approval. After receipt of public comments and thorough consideration of all comments, MDEQ will formulate its recommendations regarding coverage approval.

Additional details about the proposed project are available by writing or calling the Water II Branch Manager, Environmental Permits Division at the above Permit Board address and telephone number. A copy of the Notice of Intent or Recovery Form and public notice are also available on the MDEQ's website at: <https://www.mdeq.ms.gov/en-search/recently-received-general-permit-noi/>. A copy of the Ready-Mix Concrete General Permit is available at www.mdeq.ms.gov/rmcgp. This information is also available for review during normal business hours at the office of the MDEQ at the Permit Board address shown above. Please bring the foregoing to the attention of persons whom you know will be interested.
02/10/21, 02/17/21, 02/24/21, 03/03/21, 03/10/21

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF THOMAS SCHAFER, IV, DECEASED
CAMILLE SCHAFER, PETITIONER
CAUSE NO.: 20-cv-00576-CB
SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
TO: Any and all unknown heirs-at-law of Thomas Schafer, IV, deceased whose place of residence, street and post office address are unknown to Petitioner after diligent search and inquiry.

You have been made a Defendant in a Petition to Determine Heirs filed in this Court by Camille Schafer, Petitioner, seeking the determination of heirs at law of Thomas Schafer, IV, deceased. Defendants other than you in this action are: any person with a claim as an heir-at-law or wrongful death beneficiary of Thomas Schafer, IV. You are summoned to appear and defend against the complaint or petition filed against you in this action at 9:00 a.m. on the 25th day of February, 2021, in the courtroom of the Hancock County Courthouse, in Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, and in case of your failure to appear and defend, a judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the complaint or petition. You are not required to file an answer or pleading but you may do so if you desire. ISSUED under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 28th day of January, 2021.
Timothy A. Kellar,
Hancock County Chancery Clerk
Cassie Tribble, D.C.
02/03/21, 02/10/21, 02/17/21

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
VAN JOFFRION
PLAINTIFF
VERSUS
PERRY ROACH,
LAGUNA LANDING DEVELOPMENT, INC., STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, PARKER CROSBY, DISTRICT ATTORNEY, HANCOCK COUNTY, and ANY AND ALL PERSONS HAVING OR CLAIMING ANY LEGAL OR EQUITABLE INTEREST IN THE PARCEL OF REAL PROPERTY DESCRIBED IN THE PETITION
DEFENDANTS
CAUSE NO. 23CHI:21-41-JS
SUMMONS
THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
TO: ANY AND ALL PERSONS HAVING OR CLAIMING ANY LEGAL OR EQUITABLE INTEREST IN THE LAND SOLD FOR TAXES ON AUGUST 28, 2018, HEREINAFTER DESCRIBED PROPERTY:

Parcel 1 - assessed as
Parcel No. 076 -0-14-011.000
The South half of the Southeast Quarter, Section 14, Township 7 South, Range 15 West, Hancock County, Mississippi.
Parcel 2 - assessed as
Parcel No. 076 -0-23-001.000
The Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter, all that part of the NW Quarter of the Northeast Quarter, the Southwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter and the West Half of the Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter lying North of the Kiln-Delisle Road, also known as the Kiln-Picayune Road. LESS AND EXCEPT: a parcel sold to Pierre O. Moran be deed dated August 3, 1923, and recorded in Book D-0 at Page 204 and described as: Beginning at the Northwest corner of the Northeast corner of Section 23, Township 7 South, Range 15 West; thence run South 264 feet; thence East 825 feet; thence North 264 feet; thence West 825 feet to the Point of Beginning. ALSO LESS AND EXCEPT a four acre tract sold to K. Necaise located in the Northeast corner of the SW 1/4 of the NE 1/4, Section 23, Township 7 South, Range 15 West, and described as:
Commencing at the Southwest corner of the Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter, Section 23, Township 7 South, Range 15 West; thence North 67 degrees West 185 feet to a point; thence South 37 degrees West 500 feet to a point set on the North margin of Kiln, Picayune Road; thence South 68 degrees East 500 feet along said margin to a point; thence North 500 feet to the Point of Beginning, containing 4.0 acres, more or less. Parcel 3 - assessed as
Parcel No. 076 -0-23-013.001
Commencing at the Northeast corner of Section 23, Township 7 South, Range 15 West, Hancock County, Mississippi; thence South 00 degrees 11 minutes 24 seconds East 1325.90 feet to a corner fence post being the Point of Beginning; thence South 00 degrees 35 minutes 26 seconds East 696.61 feet along a fence to the Northerly margin of Kiln-Picayune Highway; thence North 86 degrees 38 minutes 22 seconds West 119.02 feet along said margin to a point; thence South 86 degrees 41 minutes 07 seconds West 531.25 feet along said margin to a 2 inch iron rod at a fence corner; thence North 00 degrees 31 minutes 23 seconds West 720.70 feet along a fence line to a corner fence post; thence South 89 degrees 58

minutes 56 seconds East 648.78 feet along a fence line to the Point of Beginning; containing 10.45 acres, more or less, and being part of the East half of the Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 23, Township 7 South, Range 15 West, Hancock County, Mississippi.

You have been made a Defendant in the petition filed in this Court by Van Joffrion, the Petitioner, seeking Complaint to CONFIRM TAX TITLE.

You are required to mail or hand-deliver a copy of a written response to the Complaint to the Attorney for the Plaintiff, James L. Gray, 101 East Canal Street, Suite E, Post Office Box 1682, Picayune, Mississippi 39466.

YOUR RESPONSE MUST BE MAILED OR DELIVERED NOT LATER THAN THIRTY (30) DAYS AFTER THE 3RD DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2021, WHICH IS THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS SUMMONS. IF YOUR RESPONSE IS NOT MAILED OR DELIVERED, A JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT WILL BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE MONEY OR OTHER RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE COMPLAINT.

You must also file the original of your response with the Clerk of this Court within a reasonable time afterward.

ISSUED UNDER MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF THIS COURT on this the 27TH day of January, 2021.

Timothy A. Kellar
Chancery Clerk of Hancock County
Mississippi
By: Bridgett Ladner, Deputy Clerk
02/03/21, 02/10/21, 02/17/21

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
PERRY ROACH
PLAINTIFF
VERSUS
JOSEPHINE ALICE RETIEF MARTINEZ
JESSIE ALBERTINE RETIEF CARMADA
JULIA ALFRIEDA RETIEF CIEUTAT,
VICTOR JOSEPH CIEUTAT, RUTH
RETIEF KELLY, PARKER CROSBY,
DISTRICT ATTORNEY, HANCOCK
COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, STATE OF
MISSISSIPPI, and ANY AND ALL
PERSONS HAVING OR CLAIMING
ANY INTEREST IN THE REAL
PROPERTY SOLD FOR DELINQUENT
TAXES ON AUGUST 26, 1997 AS
DESCRIBED IN THE COMPLAINT
DEFENDANTS
CAUSE NO. 23CHI: 21-CV-40-JP
SUMMONS
THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
TO: ANY AND ALL PERSONS HAVING
OR CLAIMING ANY LEGAL OR
EQUITABLE INTEREST IN THE LAND
SOLD FOR TAXES ON AUGUST 26, 1997,
HEREINAFTER DESCRIBED PROPERTY:

Lots 13, 14 and 15, Square 11, of Bay St. Louis Land and Improvement Company's subdivision of Bay St. Louis and Waveland, by subdivision dedicated on August 28, 1896 and the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 1 at Page 30 in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi. Said subdivision also called ANicholson Heights Subdivision. @ Also identified as Hancock County Tax Assessor
Parcel No. 137P-2-35-074.000.

You have been made a Defendant in the petition filed in this Court by Perry Roach, the Petitioner, seeking Complaint to CONFIRM TAX TITLE.

You are required to mail or hand-deliver a copy of a written response to the Complaint to the Attorney for the Plaintiff, James L. Gray, 101 East Canal Street, Suite E, Post Office Box 1682, Picayune, Mississippi 39466.

YOUR RESPONSE MUST BE MAILED OR DELIVERED NOT LATER THAN THIRTY (30) DAYS AFTER THE 3RD DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2021, WHICH IS THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS SUMMONS. IF YOUR RESPONSE IS NOT MAILED OR DELIVERED, A JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT WILL BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE MONEY OR OTHER RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE COMPLAINT.

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ISSUED UNDER MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF THIS COURT on this the 27th day of January, 2021.

Timothy A. Kellar
Chancery Clerk of Hancock County
Mississippi
By: Larinell Scarborough, Deputy Clerk
02/03/21, 02/10/21, 02/17/21

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
PERRY ROACH
PLAINTIFF
VERSUS
JOSEPHINE ALICE RETIEF MARTINEZ
JESSIE ALBERTINE RETIEF CARMADA
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COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, STATE OF
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PROPERTY SOLD FOR DELINQUENT
TAXES ON AUGUST 26, 1997 AS
DESCRIBED IN THE COMPLAINT
DEFENDANTS
CAUSE NO. 23CHI: 21-CV-40-JP
SUMMONS
THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
TO: Josephine Alice Retief Martinez, her unknown heirs at law and/or successors in interest Jessie Albertine Retief Carmada, his unknown heirs at law and/or successors in interest Julie Alfrida Retief Cieutat, her unknown heirs at law and/or successors in interest Victor Joseph Cieutat, his unknown heirs at law and/or successors in interest Ruth Retief Kelly, her unknown heirs at law and/or successors in interest

Ruth Retief Kelly, her unknown heirs at law and/or successors in interest
You have been made a Defendant in the petition filed in this Court by Perry Roach, the Petitioner, seeking Complaint to CONFIRM TAX TITLE.

You are required to mail or hand-deliver a copy of a written response to the Complaint to the Attorney for the Plaintiff, James L. Gray, 101 East Canal Street, Suite E, Post Office Box 1682, Picayune, Mississippi 39466.

YOUR RESPONSE MUST BE MAILED OR DELIVERED NOT LATER THAN THIRTY (30) DAYS AFTER THE 3RD DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2021, WHICH IS THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS SUMMONS. IF YOUR RESPONSE IS NOT MAILED OR DELIVERED, A JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT WILL BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE MONEY OR OTHER RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE COMPLAINT.

You must also file the original of your response with the Clerk of this Court within a reasonable time afterward.

ISSUED UNDER MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF THIS COURT on this the 27th day of January, 2021.

Timothy A. Kellar
Chancery Clerk of Hancock County
Mississippi
By: Larinell Scarborough, Deputy Clerk
02/03/21, 02/10/21, 02/17/21

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
PERRY ROACH
PLAINTIFF
VERSUS
JOSEPHINE ALICE RETIEF MARTINEZ
JESSIE ALBERTINE RETIEF CARMADA
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VICTOR JOSEPH CIEUTAT, RUTH
RETIEF KELLY, PARKER CROSBY,
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PROPERTY SOLD FOR DELINQUENT
TAXES ON AUGUST 26, 1997 AS
DESCRIBED IN THE COMPLAINT
DEFENDANTS
CAUSE NO. 23CHI: 21-CV-40-JP
SUMMONS
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TO: Josephine Alice Retief Martinez, her unknown heirs at law and/or successors in interest Jessie Albertine Retief Carmada, his unknown heirs at law and/or successors in interest Julie Alfrida Retief Cieutat, her unknown heirs at law and/or successors in interest Victor Joseph Cieutat, his unknown heirs at law and/or successors in interest Ruth Retief Kelly, her unknown heirs at law and/or successors in interest

Ruth Retief Kelly, her unknown heirs at law and/or successors in interest
You have been made a Defendant in the petition filed in this Court by Perry Roach, the Petitioner, seeking Complaint to CONFIRM TAX TITLE.

You are required to mail or hand-deliver a copy of a written response to the Complaint to the Attorney for the Plaintiff, James L. Gray, 101 East Canal Street, Suite E, Post Office Box 1682, Picayune, Mississippi 39466.

YOUR RESPONSE MUST BE MAILED OR DELIVERED NOT LATER THAN THIRTY (30) DAYS AFTER THE 3RD DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2021, WHICH IS THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS SUMMONS. IF YOUR RESPONSE IS NOT MAILED OR DELIVERED, A JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT WILL BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE MONEY OR OTHER RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE COMPLAINT.

You must also file the original of your response with the Clerk of this Court within a reasonable time afterward.

ISSUED UNDER MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF THIS COURT on this the 27th day of January, 2021.

Timothy A. Kellar
Chancery Clerk of Hancock County
Mississippi
By: Larinell Scarborough, Deputy Clerk
02/03/21, 02/10/21, 02/17/21

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
QUANESSIS RICKS and REGINALD HAIRSTON
PLAINTIFFS
VS.
THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI; AND ANY AND ALL PERSONS
OR PARTIES, REAL OR CORPORATE,

HAVING OR CLAIMING ANY RIGHT, TITLE OR INTEREST IN AND TO THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LAND SOLD FOR TAXES ON AUGUST 28, 2014;
SEPTEMBER 3, 2015; and
SEPTEMBER 1, 2016, VIZ: LOTS 21-23;
48-50 BAYSIDE PK UN 3 BL K 220
PARCEL NUMBER 171J-0-12-065.000
DEFENDANTS
CIVIL ACTION NO. 21-44-JP
SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
TO: 1. ANY AND ALL PERSONS OR PARTIES, REAL OR CORPORATE, HAVING OR CLAIMING ANY RIGHT, TITLE OR INTEREST IN THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LAND SOLD FOR TAXES ON AUGUST 28, 2014;
SEPTEMBER 3, 2015; and
SEPTEMBER 1, 2016, VIZ: LOTS 21-23;
48-50 BAYSIDE PK UN 3 BL K 220
PARCEL NUMBER 171J-0-12-065.000.

You have been made a Defendants in the suit filed in this Court by Plaintiffs, QUANESSIS RICKS and REGINALD HAIRSTON seeking to confirm their title to the property described above, acquired from a tax sale on August 28, 2017 for taxes for the year 2016, while assessed to Diamond L. Investment Co., LLC.

You are required to mail or hand deliver a written response to the Complaint filed against you in this action to DAVID PILGER, Attorney for the Plaintiff whose address is 1406 Bienville Blvd., Suite 101, Ocean Springs, Mississippi, 39564.

YOUR RESPONSE MUST BE MAILED OR DELIVERED NOT LATER THAN THIRTY (30) DAYS AFTER THE 10th DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2021, WHICH IS THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS SUMMONS. IF YOUR RESPONSE IS NOT SO MAILED OR DELIVERED, A JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT WILL BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE MONEY OR OTHER RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE COMPLAINT.

You must also file the original of your response with the Clerk of this Court within a reasonable time afterward.

Issued under my hand and the Seal of said Court, this 29th day of January, 2021.

Timothy (Tim) Kellar, Chancery Clerk
152 Main Street, Suite A
Bay St. Louis, MS 39520
BY: s/ Cassie Tribble, D.C.
02/10/21, 02/17/21, 02/24/21

ADVERTISEMENT
HUNTING AND FISHING BID
SECTION 17-5-15
Bids will be received until 3:00 p.m. on Monday, March 1st, 2021, in the Office of the Superintendent of Education for the lease of the following 16th Section parcel for Hunting and Fishing purposes:
17-5-15 (approximately 247 acres)
You are hereby notified that sealed bids to lease the above described parcel for hunting and fishing purposes will be for a term of five (5) years with a minimum bid of \$5.50 per acre.

Specifications may be obtained in the Office of the Superintendent, 17304 Highway 603, Kiln, MS 39556 or by calling (228) 255-0367. Please mark on the outside of the sealed envelope, Hunting and Fishing Bid, Section 17-5-15.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and/or all bids.

Alan Dedeaux, Superintendent
Hancock County School District
02/10/21, 02/17/21

SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEE'S
NOTICE OF SALE
WHEREAS, on March 12, 1997, CHARLES H. SIMS AND EVELYN W. SIMS, HUSBAND AND WIFE executed a deed of trust for the benefit of JIM WALTER HOMES, INC., which deed of trust was recorded on March 31, 1997, in Book 477, Page 640 in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi; and Said Deed of Trust was last sold, assigned and transferred to U.S. Bank, N.A., as Trustee, successor in interest to Wachovia Bank, National Association, as Trustee, successor by merger to First Union National Bank as Trustee, for Mid-State Trust VII by assignment recorded in Book 2021, Page 566 in the office of the Chancery Clerk, Hancock County, Mississippi.

WHEREAS, the holder of the deed of trust at the time of the substitution substituted McCalla Raymer Leibert Pierce, LLC as Trustee, as authorized by the terms thereof, by instrument recorded on January 14, 2021, and spread at large upon the records in the office of the aforesaid Chancery Clerk in Book 2021, Page 1259, prior to the posting and publication of this notice; and WHEREAS, default having been made in the terms and conditions of the deed of trust, and the entire debt secured thereby having been declared to be due and payable in accordance with the terms of the deed of trust, and the legal holder of said indebtedness, U.S. Bank, N.A., as Trustee, successor in interest to Wachovia Bank, National Association, as Trustee, successor by merger to First Union National Bank as Trustee, for Mid-State Trust VII, has requested the undersigned Substitute Trustee to execute the trust and sell said land, property and improvements in accordance with the terms of the deed of trust for the purpose of raising the sums due thereunder, together with attorney's fees, Substitute Trustee's fees and expenses of sale; THEREFORE, on March 3, 2021, the undersigned Substitute Trustee in the deed of trust, will offer for sale at public outcry and sell to the highest bidder for cash, within legal hours (being between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.) at the front door of the Hancock County Courthouse in Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, the following described land, property and improvements lying and being situate in Hancock County, Mississippi, to-wit:

Located on the Eastern line of Olivari Street and the Western line of Hargett Street, and being located 205 feet South of Second Street now Morris Street, 'in the Fourth Ward of the City of Waveland, Mississippi, in Hancock County, being a part of Lot 4, Original division of Square 38 of the plat of Bay St. Louis Land and Improvement Company's First Addition to the City of Waveland, Mississippi, as per the official plat of said subdivision recorded in Plat Book 1, Page 16. Also being recorded in Sectional Index 5 and being part of an original conveyance from the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, Cause No. 10-554, to Judge Hargett and wife, Viola Hargett, on October 18, 1968, and recorded in Deed Book Y-5, Page 138 of the Deed Records of Hancock County, Mississippi, and being 'more particularly described by metes and bounds as follows:

Commencing at the intersection of the South line of Morris Street, formerly Second Street, and the East line of Olivari Street, and run thence South along the East line of said Olivari Street a distance of 205 feet to and for the point of beginning; thence run East a distance of 157 feet to a point on the West line of Hargett Street; thence run South along the West line of said Hargett Street a distance of 137 feet; thence run West a distance of 80 feet; thence run North a distance of 87 feet; thence run West a distance of 77 feet to a point on the East line of said Olivari Street; thence run North along the East line of said street a distance of 50 feet to, the point of beginning.

I WILL CONVEY only such title as is vested in the Substitute Trustee.

WITNESS MY SIGNATURE, this 1st day of February, 2021.

/s-/ Robert M. Peebles, III
McCalla Raymer Leibert Pierce, LLC
Substitute Trustee
1022 Highland Colony Parkway, Suite 304

Ridgeland, MS 39157-2049

(662) 388-5464
Foreclosurehotline.net
File No.: 5863320
02/10/21, 02/17/21, 02/24/21

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF PAUL E. DOYLE (DECEASED)
J. BRYAN DOYLE and JANET P. LUM, PLAINTIFFS
VERSUS
THE UNKNOWN HEIRS-AT-LAW OF PAUL E. DOYLE (DECEASED), DEFENDANTS
CAUSE NO. 23CHI:20-cv-261-JP
SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
TO: THE UNKNOWN HEIRS-AT-LAW OF PAUL E. DOYLE a/k/a PAUL EDWARD DOYLE (DECEASED), if they are living and not to be found therein after diligent search and inquiry and whose places of residence, post office and street and house addresses are unknown after diligent street search and inquiry to ascertain the same; and if dead, their unknown devisees, executors, administrators or legal representatives are not to be found after diligent search and inquiry and whose places of residence, post office and street and house addresses are unknown after diligent street search and inquiry to ascertain the same

You have been made Defendants in the lawsuit filed in the Court by Plaintiffs, J. BRYAN DOYLE and JANET P. LUM, in their Complaint to Determine Heirs seeking to have the Court establish the heirs-at-law of PAUL E. DOYLE a/k/a PAUL EDWARD DOYLE (DECEASED), and seeking to adjudicate THAT the sole and only heirs-at-law of PAUL E. DOYLE a/k/a PAUL EDWARD DOYLE (DECEASED) were J. BRYAN DOYLE, SHARON A. RANDALL, JANET P. LUM, DAVID E. DOYLE and MARY JANE BOWMAN formerly known as MARY JANE ROCHE.

IF TO BE FOUND IN THIS COUNTY, to be and appear before the Honorable Jim Persons of the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to be held at the Harrison County Chancery Courthouse on the 16th day of March, 2021, at 1:30 p.m. in Gulfport, Mississippi, next, then and there to show cause, if any they can, why J. BRYAN DOYLE, SHARON A. RANDALL, JANET P. LUM, DAVID E. DOYLE and MARY JANE BOWMAN formerly known as MARY JANE ROCHE should not be declared to be the sole heirs-at-law of PAUL E. DOYLE a/k/a PAUL EDWARD DOYLE (DECEASED), according to law.

YOU ARE SUMMONED TO APPEAR and defend against the Complaint filed against you in this action on the date and time as set forth herein above before the Honorable Jim Persons at the Harrison County Chancery Courthouse, in Gulfport, Mississippi; and in case of your failure to appear and defend, a judgment will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the petition.

You are not required to file an answer or other pleading but you may do so if you desire.

ISSUED under my hand and seal of said Court, this 1st day of February, 2021.

TIMOTHY A. KELLAR, HANCOCK COUNTY CHANCERY CLERK
By: Cassie Tribble, D.C.
02/10/21, 02/17/21, 02/24/21

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF LINDA FAY MITCHELL, DECEASED
C. A. NO.: 17-cv-00615-JS
CHANCERY COURT SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
ON PETITION TO ADJUDICATE THE HEIRS-AT-LAW AND NEXT OF KIN OF LINDA FAY MITCHELL, DECEASED
THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
TO: THE UNKNOWN HEIRS-AT-LAW AND NEXT OF KIN OF LINDA FAY MITCHELL, DECEASED,
under the provisions of §891-1-27 and 91-1-29 of the MISS. CODE ANN. (1972) as revised and supplemented.

YOU ARE HEREBY SUMMONED AND COMMANDED TO PERSONALLY APPEAR BEFORE THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISS

TO: UNKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW OF KEITH LEO MOCKLIN
You have been made a Defendant in a suit filed in this court by Michael Keith Mocklin initiating a civil action alleging that he and others named in the complaint are the sole and only heirs at law of Keith Leo Mocklin and seeking an adjudication of such heirship. You are summoned to appear and defend against the complaint filed against you in this action at 9:00 o'clock A.M. on the 22nd day of March, 2021, at the Hancock County Chancery Court located at 152 Main Street, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, and in case of your failure to appear and defend a judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the complaint or petition. You are not required to file an answer or other pleading but you may do so if you desire.

Issued under my hand and seal of said Court, this 2nd day of February, 2021.
Timothy A. Kellar, Chancery Clerk
Hancock County, Mississippi
By: CASSIE TRIBBLE
Deputy Clerk
Prepared by
CLEMENT S. BENVENUTTI
Post Office Box 2718
Bay St. Louis, Mississippi 39521
Telephone No. (228) 467-0744
MS BAR NO. 2435
02/10/21, 02/17/21, 02/24/21

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
In the Matter of the ESTATE of ALTON JOSEPH PRUDHOMME, Deceased
BY: DALE PRUDHOMME, Administrator
CAUSE NO. 23CHI:05-cv-601-JP(1)
SUMMONS

TO: the known and unknown Heirs-at-Law of ALTON JOSEPH PRUDHOMME, Deceased:
You have been made parties respondent in the above cause, filed in the Court by DALE PRUDHOMME, as Administrator, seeking to establish the heirs-at-law of said decedent. You are summoned to appear and defend against the Petition filed herein at 9:00 o'clock a.m. on the 17th day of March, 2021, in the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Gulfport, Mississippi, and in case of your failure to appear and defend a judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the Petition. You are not required to file an answer or other pleading but may do so if you desire. ISSUED under my hand and seal of Court, this 1st day of February, 2021.
TIM KELLAR, Chancery Clerk
Hancock County Mississippi
Post Office Box 429
Bay St. Louis, MS 39521
By: s/Cassie Tribble
DEPUTY CLERK
02/10/21, 02/17/21, 02/24/21

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
In the Matter of the ESTATE of ALTON JOSEPH PRUDHOMME, Deceased
BY: DALE PRUDHOMME, Administrator
CAUSE NO. 23CHI:05-cv-601-JP(1)
SUMMONS

TO: the known and unknown Heirs-at-Law of JAMES WILLIAM PRUDHOMME, Deceased:
You have been made parties respondent in the above cause, filed in the Court by DALE PRUDHOMME, as Administrator, seeking to establish the heirs-at-law of said decedent. You are summoned to appear and defend against the Petition filed herein at 9:00 o'clock a.m. on the 17th day of March, 2021, in the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Gulfport, Mississippi, and in case of your failure to appear and defend a judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the Petition. You are not required to file an answer or other pleading but may do so if you desire. ISSUED under my hand and seal of Court, this 1st day of February, 2021.
TIM KELLAR, Chancery Clerk
Hancock County Mississippi
Post Office Box 429
Bay St. Louis, MS 39521
By: s/Cassie Tribble
DEPUTY CLERK
02/10/21, 02/17/21, 02/24/21

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
In the Matter of the ESTATE of ALTON JOSEPH PRUDHOMME, Deceased
BY: DALE PRUDHOMME, Administrator
CAUSE NO. 23CHI:05-cv-601-JP(1)
SUMMONS

TO: the known and unknown Heirs-at-Law of LOIS PRUDHOMME MENARD, Deceased:
You have been made parties respondent in the above cause, filed in the Court by DALE PRUDHOMME, as Administrator, seeking to establish the heirs-at-law of said decedent. You are summoned to appear and defend against the Petition filed herein at 9:00 o'clock a.m. on the 17th day of March, 2021, in the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Gulfport, Mississippi, and in case of your failure to appear and defend a judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the Petition. You are not required to file an answer or other pleading but may do so if you desire. ISSUED under my hand and seal of Court, this 1st day of February, 2021.
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In the Matter of the ESTATE of ALTON JOSEPH PRUDHOMME, Deceased
BY: DALE PRUDHOMME, Administrator
CAUSE NO. 23CHI:05-cv-601-JP(1)
SUMMONS

TO: the known and unknown Heirs-at-Law of NORA MAE SONNIER, Deceased:
You have been made parties respondent in the above cause, filed in the Court by DALE PRUDHOMME, as Administrator, seeking to establish the heirs-at-law of said decedent. You are summoned to appear and defend against the Petition filed herein at 9:00 o'clock a.m. on the 17th day of March, 2021, in the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Gulfport, Mississippi, and in case of your failure to appear and defend a judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the Petition. You are not required to file an answer or other pleading but may do so if you desire. ISSUED under my hand and seal of Court, this 1st day of February, 2021.
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02/10/21, 02/17/21, 02/24/21

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
VAN JOFFRION
PLAINTIFF
VERSUS
PERRY ROACH,
LAGUNA LANDING DEVELOPMENT, INC., STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, PARKER CROSBY, DISTRICT ATTORNEY,
HANCOCK COUNTY, and ANY AND ALL PERSONS HAVING OR CLAIMING ANY LEGAL OR EQUITABLE INTEREST IN THE PARCEL OF REAL PROPERTY DESCRIBED IN THE PETITION
DEFENDANTS
CAUSE NO. 23CHI:21-41-JS
SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
TO: LAGUNA LANDING DEVELOPMENT, INC., a Florida Corporation
You have been made a Defendant in the petition filed in this Court by Van Joffrion, the Petitioner, seeking Complaint To CONFIRM TAX TITLE. Defendants other than you are Perry Roach, State of Mississippi, Parker Crosby, District Attorney, Hancock County and Any and all persons claiming interest in the parcel of property described in the petition. You are required to mail or hand-deliver a copy of a written response to the Complaint to the Attorney for the Plaintiff, James L. Gray, 101 East Canal Street, Suite E, Post

Office Box 1682, Picayune, Mississippi 39466.
YOUR RESPONSE MUST BE MAILED OR DELIVERED NOT LATER THAN THIRTY (30) DAYS AFTER THE 10TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2021, WHICH IS THE DATE OF THE FIRST PUBLICATION OF THIS SUMMONS. IF YOUR RESPONSE IS NOT MAILED OR DELIVERED, A JUDGMENT BY DEFAULT WILL BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU FOR THE MONEY OR OTHER RELIEF DEMANDED IN THE COMPLAINT.
You must also file the original of your response with the Clerk of this Court within a reasonable time afterward.
ISSUED UNDER MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF THIS COURT on this the 3rd day of February, 2021.
Timothy A. Kellar
Chancery Clerk of Hancock County Mississippi
By: Cassie Tribble, Deputy Clerk
02/10/21, 02/17/21, 02/24/21

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF EVELYN W. YOUNG
BY: DON R. YOUNG, PETITIONER
CAUSE NO. 23CHI:20-cv-00638
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
WHEREAS, Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of Evelyn W. Young, deceased, were duly issued to the undersigned as Executor of the Estate by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 28th day of January, 2021, therefore, legal notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the Estate are required by law to have them filed, probated, and registered with the Clerk of the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, at Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, within ninety (90) days from the publication of this notice, and the failure to file, probate, and register their claims with the Clerk within the time will forever bar the claims.
THIS the 29th day of January, 2021
/s/ Don R. Young
Executor of the Estate of Evelyn W. Young, Deceased
ATTORNEY FOR EXECUTOR:
Leonard A. Blackwell II (MSB #3360)
BRUNINI, GRANTHAM, GROWER & HEWES, PLLC
P.O. Box 127
Biloxi, MS 39533-0127
Telephone: (228) 435-1198
02/10/21, 02/17/21, 02/24/21

HANCOCK COUNTY PORT AND HARBOR COMMISSION REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS of LANDSCAPE & MAINTENANCE 2021
Invitation:
The Hancock County Port and Harbor Commission (HCPHC) is seeking proposals from qualified firms to provide landscaping and maintenance services for (7) Seven locations within HCPHC Airport and Port Bienville Operations. Firms with relevant experience and qualifications are encouraged to submit. Proposals must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. on 03/11/21. All proposals received after that time will be returned to the Proposer unopened.
There will be a mandatory pre-proposal job walk requirement that will be held at contractors' expense to visit locations at both the Stennis Airport, and Port Bienville, MS. Please provide your own POV (privately owned vehicle) as transportation will not be provided. The initial jobsite meeting location will be the rear parking lot at 14054 Fred & Al Key Road, HCPHC commission offices @ 8:30 AM on 02/22/21 from there we will visit each location.
Correspondence Requirements:
Any correspondence related to this proposal shall be forwarded via email to: dpoole@hcephc.ms or in writing to David Poole, Purchasing Specialist, 14054 Fred & Al Key Road, Kiln, MS 39556.
Any questions or addenda/clarifications to this proposal shall be submitted, in writing prior to 5:00 PM CST, on March 1st, 2021 via email to dpoole@hcephc.ms with "LANDSCAPE RFP" in the subject line.
Responses from HCPHC will be communicated via email to all interested recipients of this proposal. Inquiries received after the date and time stated will not be accepted and will be returned to sender without response.
02/10/21, 02/17/21

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02/10/21, 02/17/21

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF THELMA NORRA TRENCHARD, DECEASED
NO. 20-599
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Letters of Administration having been granted on the 4th day of February 2021, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the Estate of Thelma Norra Trenchard, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the clerk of this court for probate and registration according to the law within ninety (90) days from the first publication of this Notice or they will be forever barred. This the 10th day of February 2021.
Victor Trenchard
Administrator of the Estate of Thelma Norra Trenchard, Deceased
By: /s/ Lewie G. Negrotto IV
Lewie G. Negrotto IV
Published: February 10th, 17th and 24th, 2021
Lewie G. Negrotto, MSBN 10060
Negrotto & Associates, PLLC
220 E. Seenic Drive, Suite 200
Pass Christian, MS 39571
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Fax: 866.526.0715
Email: skip@negrottolaw.com
02/10/21, 02/17/21, 02/24/21

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF CHARLES E. BOHACHEFF, DECEASED
JESSICA R. BOHACHEFF, ADMINISTRATRIX
VERSUS
THE UNKNOWN HEIRS-AT-LAW OR DEVISEES, IF ANY, OF CHARLES E. BOHACHEFF, DECEASED
CAUSE NO. 20-0597-JS
SUMMONS
(Service by Publication: Residence Unknown)
TO: Unknown heirs at law of Charles E. Bohacheff, Deceased, whose residence is unknown.
You have been made a Defendant in the lawsuit filed in this Court by Jessica R. Bohacheff, Administratrix. Defendants other than you in this action are: Jessica R. Bohacheff.
The Complaint filed against you has initiated a civil action alleging and seeking to establish the unknown heirs at law of Charles E. Bohacheff.
You are summoned to appear and defend against said complaint or petition at 9:30 o'clock A. M. on the 14th day of April, 2021, in the courtroom of the Harrison County Courthouse at Gulfport, Mississippi, and in case of your failure to appear and defend a judgment by default will be entered against you for the money or other relief demanded in the complaint.
You are not required to file an answer or other pleading but you may do so if you desire. Issued under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 8th day of February, 2021.
Timothy A. Kellar, Chancery Clerk
Hancock County, Mississippi
(SEAL)
BY:Larriell Scarborough
Deputy Clerk
02/17/21, 02/24/21, 03/03/21

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MARIAN C. THIAAC, Deceased
JOHN D. BERGENS, Administrator
CAUSE NO. 20-643-MA
SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
TO: THE UNKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW OF MARIAN C. THIAAC, DECEASED, WHOSE NAMES AND POST OFFICE ADDRESSES ARE UNKNOWN BY THE PETITIONER IN THIS CAUSE AFTER DILIGENT INQUIRY

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
VAN JOFFRION
PLAINTIFF
VERSUS
PERRY ROACH,
LAGUNA LANDING DEVELOPMENT, INC., STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, PARKER CROSBY, DISTRICT ATTORNEY,
HANCOCK COUNTY, and ANY AND ALL PERSONS HAVING OR CLAIMING ANY LEGAL OR EQUITABLE INTEREST IN THE PARCEL OF REAL PROPERTY DESCRIBED IN THE PETITION
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SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
TO: LAGUNA LANDING DEVELOPMENT, INC., a Florida Corporation
You have been made a Defendant in the petition filed in this Court by Van Joffrion, the Petitioner, seeking Complaint To CONFIRM TAX TITLE. Defendants other than you are Perry Roach, State of Mississippi, Parker Crosby, District Attorney, Hancock County and Any and all persons claiming interest in the parcel of property described in the petition. You are required to mail or hand-deliver a copy of a written response to the Complaint to the Attorney for the Plaintiff, James L. Gray, 101 East Canal Street, Suite E, Post

You have been made Defendants in a civil action filed by John D. Bergens, Petitioner, seeking to establish the heirs at law of MARIAN C. THIAAC, Deceased. There are no other Defendants in this action. You are summoned to appear and defend against the complaint or petition filed against you in this action at 9:00 o'clock A.M. on the 23rd day of March, 2021, in the courtroom of the Chancery Court, at the Hancock County Courthouse in Bay St. Louis, Mississippi, and in case of your failure to appear and defend, a judgment will be entered against you for the money or other relief demanded in the complaint or petition. You are not required to file an answer or other pleading but you may do so if you desire.

Issued under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 8th day of February, 2021.
TIMOTHY A. KELLAR, CHANCERY COURT CLERK OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
BY: s/Ashley N. Holland
Deputy Clerk
02/17/21, 02/24/21, 03/03/21

SECTION 00090
ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
NOTICE: Bidders
Sealed Bids from professional wetlands consultants will be received by the HANCOCK COUNTY PORT & HARBOR COMMISSION at 14054 Fred & Al Key Road, Kiln, MS, until 10:00 A.M., 18th, March 2021, and shortly thereafter opened and read for:
SITE 4 PERMITTEE RESPONSIBLE MITIGATION
Project Manuals may be examined at the HANCOCK COUNTY PORT & HARBOR COMMISSION, 14054 Fred & Al Key Road, Kiln, MS, at the office of the Design Engineer, Compton Engineering, Inc., 3036 Longfellow Drive in Bay St. Louis, or online at www.comptonengineeringplans.com. The bid documents are being made available online via original paper copy or compact disc upon payment \$125.00 per paper copy and \$50.00 per compact disc. The drawings bound in the bid documents are photographic reproductions of the original tracings. Cost includes shipping and handling for each set. The cost of bid documents is non-refundable and bid documents must be purchased through the website. Return of documents is not required. All plan holders are required to have a valid email address for online registration. For information regarding website registration and online orders please contact Plan House Printing at 662-407-0193. For information regarding this project, contact Compton Engineering's office at 228-467-2770 in Bay St. Louis, Mississippi.
This project, as described in the mitigation plan, included within the proposal documents is for the creation of tidal wetlands with zoned vegetation to replace the impacted tidal marsh and submerged aquatic vegetation resulting from the development of the Site 4 property within the Port Bienville Industrial Park. The Site 4 property development includes the construction of a steel sheetpile bulkhead with associated dredging of the adjacent channel. The proposed mitigation area is on land adjacent to the project site within the Port Bienville Industrial Park. These services and materials are more specifically described in this Request for Proposal (RFP).
Sealed paper bids may be submitted to the Hancock Port & Harbor Commission at 14054 Fred & Al Key Road, Kiln, MS. Electronic bids can be submitted at www.comptonengineeringplans.com. For any questions relating to the electronic bidding process, please call Plan House Printing at 662-407-0193.
The BID SCHEDULE may be examined at the following locations:
A. Mississippi Procurement Technical Assistance Program (MPTAP)
Mississippi Development Authority, Minority & Small Business Development
Woolfolk Building
501 North West Street, Suite B 01
Jackson, MS 39201
B. South MS Contract Procurement Center
1636 Poppys Ferry Road, Suite 203
Biloxi, MS 39532
Phone (228) 396-1288
A MANDATORY pre-bid conference has been scheduled for Tuesday, March 2, 2021 at 10:00 A.M. at the David N. McDonald Training Center at Port Bienville, 3060 Port & Harbor Drive, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520. The right is reserved by the Owner to reject any or all bids, to waive any informalities, and to award the Contract to serve the best interest of Owner. By submitting a proposal, each bidder waives any and all claims for damages against Owner concerning any failure or decision of Owner to not accept the bid.
Authorized
Representative of Hancock County Port & Harbor Commission
By: William Cotter, Jr, Hancock County Port & Harbor Commission, CEO
Date:
02/17/21, 02/24/21

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF PATRICIA ANN DICKE, DECEASED
ELLEN TITUS, PETITIONER
CAUSE NO.: 21-cv-00013-JS
ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Letters of Administration having been granted on the 2nd day of February, 2021, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the Estate of Patricia Ann Dicke, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of said Court for probate and registration according to law within ninety (90) days from this date, or they will be forever barred.
THIS 17th day of February, 2021.
s/ELLEN TITUS
Return to:
The Casano Law Firm, P.A.
4403 West Aloha Drive
Diamondhead, Mississippi 39525
02/17/21, 02/24/21, 03/03/21

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ELLEN TITUS, PETITIONER
CAUSE NO.: 21-cv-00013-JS
SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
TO: Any and all unknown heirs-at-law of Patricia Ann Dicke, deceased whose place of residence, street and post office address are unknown to Petitioner after diligent search and inquiry.
You have been made a Defendant in a Petition to Determine Heirs filed in this Court by Ellen Titus, Petitioner, seeking the determination of heirs at law of Patricia Ann Dicke, deceased. Defendants other than you in this action are: any person with a claim as an heir-at-law or wrongful death beneficiary of Patricia Ann Dicke.
You are summoned to appear and defend against the complaint or petition filed against you in this action at 9:00 o'clock a.m. on the 11th day of March, 2021, in the courtroom of the Harrison County Courthouse, in Gulfport, Mississippi, and in case of your failure to appear and defend, a judgment will be entered against you for the money or other things demanded in the complaint or petition. You are not required to file an answer or pleading but you may do so if you desire. ISSUED under my hand and the seal of said Court, this 10th day of February, 2021.
Timothy A. Kellar,

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IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF PATRICIA ANN DICKE, DECEASED
ELLEN TITUS, PETITIONER
CAUSE NO.: 21-cv-00013-JS
SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
TO: Any and all unknown heirs-at-law of Patricia Ann Dicke, deceased whose place of residence, street and post office address are unknown to Petitioner after diligent search and inquiry.
You have been made a Defendant in a Petition to Determine Heirs filed in this Court by Ellen Titus, Petitioner, seeking the determination of heirs at law of Patricia Ann Dicke, deceased. Defendants other than you in this action are: any person with a claim as an heir-at-law or wrongful death beneficiary of Patricia Ann Dicke.
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ELLEN TITUS, PETITIONER
CAUSE NO.: 21-cv-00013-JS
SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
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Timothy A. Kellar,

Hancock County Chancery Clerk
Cassie Tribble, D.C.
02/17/21, 02/24/21, 03/03/21

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF HANCOCK
SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE
WHEREAS on June 12, 2012, Lucille Maisonneuve, executed a Deed of Trust in favor of Hancock Bank, Beneficiary and Joy Lambert Phillips, Trustee, which Deed of Trust was recorded in the records of mortgages and deeds of trust on land in the office of the Chancery Clerk for Hancock County, Mississippi, in deed of trust book 2012 at page 12309, and also on January 15, 2014 executed another Deed of Trust in favor of the same beneficiary and same trustee which was recorded in the aforesaid Chancery Clerk's office in deed of trust book 2014 at page 1145 with respect to the following real property located in Hancock County, Mississippi commonly referred to as 504 Fayard Street, Waveland, MS 39576 and more particularly herein below; and WHEREAS, the Hancock Whitney Bank, formerly known as Hancock Bank, the present owner and holder of the above-described Deeds of Trust, has heretofore substituted William P. Wessler as Trustee by instrument dated January 5, 2021 and recorded in said Chancery Clerk's office on January 26, 2021 in book 2021 at pages 2167-2169; and WHEREAS, default having been made in the terms and conditions of said Deeds of Trust, and the entire debt secured thereby having been declared due and payable in accordance with the terms of said Deeds of Trust, Hancock Whitney Bank, the legal holder of said indebtedness, having requested the undersigned Substituted Trustee to execute the trust and sell said land and property in accordance with the terms of said Deeds of Trust and for the purpose of raising the sums due thereunder, together with attorney's fees, Trustee's fees and expenses of sale; NOW, THEREFORE, I, William P. Wessler, Substituted Trustee in said Deeds of Trust will on Tuesday, March 16, 2021 offer for sale at public outcry and sell within legal hours (being between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.) at the main front door of the Hancock County courthouse located at 152 Main Street, Bay St. Louis, Mississippi to the highest and best bidder for cash the real property and improvements being situated in Hancock County, Mississippi, and being more particularly described as follows, to-wit:
Lot 13, Block 6, ANNA HENRY SUBDIVISION, Fourth Ward, Town of Waveland, Hancock County, Mississippi, as per the official map or plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi. I will convey only such title as is vested in me as Substituted Trustee.
WITNESS MY SIGNATURE, on this the 11th day of February, 2021.
/s/ William P. Wessler
WILLIAM P. WESSLER
SUBSTITUTED TRUSTEE
1624 24th Avenue
Gulfport, MS 39501
228-863-3686
MSB # 7110
02/17/21, 02/24/21, 03/03/21, 03/10/21

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF BEATRICE GAUPP MESTAYER, DECEASED
ELLIOT G. MESTAYER
PETITIONER
CAUSE NO.: 23CHI11:20-cv-00386 CB
SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
TO: The unknown heirs-at-law of BEATRICE GAUPP MESTAYER, Deceased and to any and all other persons or parties who are interested in this estate, including, but not limited to the unknown heirs-at-law of BEATRICE GAUPP MESTAYER, Deceased, who are adults, if they be living and are non-residents of the State of Mississippi, or not to be found therein after diligent search and inquiry, and whose places of residence, post offices, street and house addresses are unknown after diligent search and inquiry to ascertain the same, and if dead, their unknown heirs-at-law, devisees, executors, administrators, or legal representatives, all non-residents of the State of Mississippi, or not to be found after diligent search and inquiry, and whose places of residence, post offices, street and house addresses are unknown after diligent search and inquiry to ascertain the same.
You have been made Defendants in the lawsuit filed in this Court by ELLIOT G. MESTAYER.
The Complaint filed against you has initiated a civil action alleging that, HENRY F. MESTAYER (HUSBAND) is the sole and only heir-at-law of BEATRICE GAUPP MESTAYER, Deceased, and seeking to have the said, HENRY F. MESTAYER (HUSBAND) and declared to be the sole and only heir-at-law of BEATRICE GAUPP MESTAYER, Deceased.
You are summoned to appear and defend against the Petition filed against you in this action at 9:00 A.M. on the 22nd day of April, 2021, in the Chancery Court of Harrison County, Mississippi, in Gulfport, Mississippi; and, in case of your failure to appear and defend, a Judgment will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the Petition. You are not required to file an answer or other pleadings, but you may do so if you desire.
ISSUED UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL of said Court, this the 11th day of February 2021
(SEAL)
TIMOTHY A. KELLAR, CHANCERY CLERK
By: Cassie Tribble, D.C.
02/17/21, 02/24/21, 03/03/21

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF BEATRICE GAUPP MESTAYER, DECEASED
ELLIOT G. MESTAYER
PETITIONER
CAUSE NO. 23CHI:20-cv-00386 CB
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF HANCOCK
Letters Testamentary having been granted on the 7th day of December, A.D., 2020, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the Estate of BEATRICE GAUPP MESTAYER, Deceased in Cause No. 23CHI:20-cv-00386CB.
Notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the Estate to present the same to the Clerk of said Court for probate and registration according to law within (90) days from the date of the first publication of this Notice, or they will be forever barred.
THIS, the 11th day of February, 2021.
/s/ Elliot G. Mestayer
ELLIOT G. MESTAYER
PREPARED BY:
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IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF DOLORES MATHEWS RICHMOND, DECEASED
ROBERT MATTHEW RICHMOND, PETITIONER
CAUSE NO.20-cv-00578-JP
ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF HANCOCK
Letters of Administration having been granted on the 21st day of January, 2021, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the Estate of Dolores Mathews Richmond, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of said Court for probate and registration according to law within ninety (90) days from this date, or they will be forever barred.
THIS 17th day of February, 2021.
s/ROBERT MATTHEW RICHMOND

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF DOLORES MATHEWS RICHMOND, DECEASED
ROBERT MATTHEW RICHMOND, PETITIONER
CAUSE NO.20-cv-00578-JP
ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
COUNTY OF HANCOCK
Letters of Administration having been granted on the 21st day of January, 2021, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the Estate of Dolores Mathews Richmond, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of said Court for probate and registration according to law within ninety (90) days from this date, or they will be forever barred.
THIS 17th day of February, 2021.
s/ROBERT MATTHEW RICHMOND

Return to:
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02/17/21, 02/24/21, 03/03/21

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HANCOCK COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF DOLORES MATHEWS RICHMOND, DECEASED
ROBERT MATTHEW RICHMOND, PETITIONER
CAUSE NO.20-cv-00578-JP
SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
TO: Any and all unknown heirs-at-law of Dolores Mathews Richmond, deceased whose place of residence, street and post office address are unknown to Petitioner after diligent search and inquiry.
You have been made a Defendant in a Petition to Determine Heirs filed in this Court by Robert Matthew Richmond, Petitioner, seeking the determination of heirs at law of Dolores Mathews Richmond, deceased. Defendants other than you in this action are: any person with a claim as an heir-at-law or wrongful death beneficiary of Dolores Mathews Richmond.
You are summoned to appear and defend against

• PEARL

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in were Pastor Frank Griffin III and wife Terri of the Church of the King in Bay St. Louis.

The Pearl “is beautiful throughout,” Frank Griffin said recently. “We had the pleasure of being their first guests, and the southern hospitality is like no other, warm, friendly as well as keeping a professional flair.They have raised the bar! We are honored in Hancock County to have an establishment of this caliber. We had the opportunity to tour the Pearl, and the pool & garden area is beautiful—with their couples cabana beds, you feel like you’re at a resort. Our room was very nice and the bed was extremely comfortable. Our room had a beautiful balcony that looked out onto the harbor and bay.”

After years of planning, designing and building, however, the grand opening of the Pearl was almost derailed when Hurricane Zeta blew through in late October. The storm blew debris into the building, damaged the structure, the balconies and outdoor decor and signage.

“After Hurricane Zeta, we made the very, very tough decision to chug along and honor our reservations and open on Dec. 30,” Clark said. “Zeta literally hit a day before we were getting our

certificate of operation.

“But we pressed on and worked overtime and we seriously worked all the way to the eleventh hour to get open and honor all our reservations on Dec. 30 at 3 p.m. We did it. There were times I didn’t think we were going to, but we made it happen.

“We are very thankful to our employees and contractors for their hard work and to our guests for their good will and understanding.”

After getting the ball rolling, Clark said, it’s been full-steam ahead ever since.

“We’ve been consistently booked on the weekends,” she said. “In the hotel industry, our slower days are Monday and Tuesday and Wednesday, but we’re getting a lot of bookings on those days, too. We want to be busy every day.

“We’re fortunate to be in the Bay — this is such a beautiful town and a lot of people feel strongly about it. A lot of people are coming here from Louisiana, and lot of others are coming for things like Second Saturday and the art galleries.”

Clark said a common misconception among many guests is that the Pearl is part of a chain of hotels.

The Pearl Bay St. Louis is a one-hotel operation, she said.

“We’re homegrown,” Clark said. “It pays homage to my family’s business since 1969 — the

seafood industry.”

Clark’s father Mike Cure owns Bayou Caddy Fisheries at Lakeshore. The Pearl is his latest creation.

Clark said that most of the paintings throughout the hotel lobby, hallways and rooms — including the giant original oil painting by Billy Solitario that greets guests as soon as they enter the hotel — are made just for the Pearl. They honor the shrimpers, fishermen and oystermen who helped make the Mississippi Gulf Coast what it is today.

“It’s sharing the Gulf Coast culture with our guests,” she said. “I’m proud of it when people come in here. ... I grew up here. Who would have thought this place would ever be so bustling?”

It’s today’s hustle and bustle which the Pearl aims to serve, Clark said.

“Back when I got married, there were a very limited number of hotel rooms where (out-of-town) guests could stay,” she said. “We aim to fill the void for that.”

For more on The Pearl, you can go to the hotel’s website, www.pearlblsl.com; email sales@pearlblsl.com; call 228-688-0400; or check out the Facebook page.



• COVID

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in long-term care facilities.”

On Monday, MSDH reported 544 new cases and two new deaths statewide; on Sunday, the agency reported 1,093 cases with two new deaths; on Saturday, MSDH reported 695 cases of the virus and 32 deaths.

As of Tuesday morning, Hancock County had a total of 3,334 cases of coronavirus with 72 deaths, including 68 cases and 14 deaths in long-term care facilities. There were five new cases reported in Hancock County on Monday; and 15 new cases reported on Sunday.

Also as of Tuesday, Harrison County had 16,162 cases with 264 deaths, including 482 cases and 65 deaths in long-term care facilities.

Pearl River County had 3,985 total cases with 126 deaths, including 186 cases and 34

deaths in long-term care.

As of Feb. 15, the MSDH estimates that 264,456 Mississippi residents who had tested positive for COVID-19 are presumed recovered.

As of Feb. 14, there were 572 Mississippians hospitalized with confirmed COVID-19 infections, including 153 patients in an ICU and nearly 100 patients on ventilators. There were also 27 patients hospitalized with suspected COVID infections.

“Anyone with symptoms of fever, severe cough or severe chest pains – especially those who are older or in poor health – should make arrangements for testing with their doctor or one of the many healthcare providers now performing testing,” according to MSDH. “Healthcare providers can assess your health history and symptoms, and perform testing for COVID-19 as needed. MSDH is also helping conduct free drive-up testing sites in many parts of the state. Always call ahead to the

testing provider for instructions on safely being examined before you visit for your test.”

State Health Officer Dr. Thomas Dobbs is still recommending that Mississippi residents curtail social gatherings as much as possible.

“All residents of Mississippi should avoid any social gathering that includes individuals outside of the immediate family or household,” Dobbs said. “MSDH recommends that Mississippians only participate in work, school or other absolutely essential activities, and avoid gatherings such as social events, sporting events, in-person church services, and weddings and funerals unless they involve only close family (preferably outdoors).”

Additionally, according to MSDH, “Home isolation is mandatory if you have tested positive for COVID-19 by order of the State Health Officer. (If you are awaiting results of routine testing not related to exposure, you may return to work

and follow the safety guidance of your employer.)

“Quarantine is mandatory for household members of someone who has COVID-19. Home quarantine permits working under certain circumstances.”

For more information, visit www.msdh.ms.gov.

Child find program under way on Coast

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Child Find, an ongoing effort to locate, identify and evaluate children 21 years of age and younger who are physically, mentally, communicatively and/or emotionally disabled, is under way along the Coast. In addition, each school district shall be in compliance with the guidelines of the Stewart B. McKinney Homeless Assistance Amendment Act of 1990 (P. L. 101-645), Section VI. Each district will provide comparable educational and supportive services to all homeless children and youth.

Early identification of children in need of special education is most important to each child. The information gathered from parents and agencies is used to determine program needs and make free public education available to all disabled children.

Information regarding children will be maintained by the school district and will be provided to other agencies only in accordance with the Family

Rights and Privacy Act.

Each school district provides services for the following disabilities: speech and language, autism, traumatic brain injuries, learning disabilities, intellectual disabilities, visual impairments, hearing impairments, developmental delays, orthopedic impairments, other health impairments and emotional disabilities, as well as combinations of some disabilities.

Parents or guardians with disabled children ages birth through 21 who are not currently receiving services are encouraged to contact the Child Find Coordinator in their districts for information.

Bay St. Louis-Waveland: Michelle Milton, 200 North Second Street, Bay St. Louis, MS 39520; (228) 467-1021

Hancock County: Gina Shavers, 17304 Hwy. 603, Kiln, MS 39556; (228) 466-6340

Pass Christian: Rob French, 6457 Kiln-Delisle Road, Pass Christian, MS 39571; (228) 255-6205

• WINTER

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high of 55 .

There’s a 71 percent chance of rain on Wednesday, and a 45 percent chance on Thursday.

The low for Thursday is forecast at around 29 degrees with a high of 51. On Friday, a low of 30 with a high of 48 is predicted. It’s supposed to warm up and dry up on the weekend, with a low of 45 degrees and a high of 53 on Saturday; and a low of 55 and high of 64 on Sunday.

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Krewe of Diamondhead's 46th ANNUAL MARDI GRAS BALL



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The 2021 Royal Court (L to R) Maid Gina Newman, Maid Kelly Kennedy, Maid Stephanie Hardesty, Maid Tracy Sheppard, HRH Sarah Schafer-Parrington, HRH Kevin Parrington, Duke Ricky Sheppard, Duke Jeff Hardesty, Duke Tim Kennedy, Duke Shade Newman.

SEA COAST ECHO

(Diamondhead, MS) – The Krewe of Diamondhead held its 46th annual Mardi Gras ball with the theme of “The Boston Tea Party,” on February 6, 2021 in the Emerald Ball Room of the Diamondhead Country Club. The Master of ceremonies, John Kirschenbaum, was introduced to the theme song from “Cheers.” As is tradition with the Krewe, our veterans and current service members were recognized prior to the National anthem.

The visiting royalty were welcomed to the evening festivities. In attendance from Boaters, were Ken and Janie Dropco; from Selene, Steven and Angie Burkhardt and from Olympus, Tim and Kelly Kennedy.

The officers and directors from the Krewe of Diamondhead were introduced and thanked for their tireless efforts in all business and event functions.

The Captain of the Krewe of Diamondhead, David Sykes arrived into the ballroom to the song, “Drunken Sailor” by Paddy and the Rats.

In preparation of the courts arrival, the Krewe presented the Past Kings to the music of “Carnival Time.” Returning for the event were 2002 HRH, Don Perkins; 2013 HRH, Mickey Hatem; 2019 HRH, Ron Rhoades; and 2020 HRH, Scott McNamee. After the parade of past kings, the Krewe turned their attentions to the reigning court.

From the Boston Tea Party, which inspired the phrase “No taxation without representation,” Duke Shadrick Newman and Maid Regina Newman burst into the

ballroom to the song, “Join the Riot,” by Paddy and the Rats. Next up, homage was paid to this country’s founding fathers that came from Boston. Duke Tim Kennedy and Maid Kelly Kennedy stepped into the festivities to “Freedom,” by Paddy and the Rats. The crowd’s attention shifted to the celebration of the Irish immigrants and the Celtic culture. Duke Jeff Hardesty and Maid Stephanie Hardesty strolled through the crowd to “Barrels of Whisky,” by O’Reillys and the Paddy Hats.

The focus then moved to showcasing all that Boston is today, from culture, sports, culinary and the financial center. Duke Ricky Sheppard and Maid Tracy Sheppard enthusiastically paraded around the ballroom to “Dark After the Knight,” by Paddy and the Rats.

The Royal Maids glittered in their gold and green sequin dresses, while the Royal Dukes were in classic black tuxedos with Blackwatch plaid vests and bowties. The dukes also represented Boston with their landmark socks and “Don’t Tread on Me” cufflinks.

Once the Dukes and Maids took their places on stage, the fanfare sounded to alert the Krewe for the presentation of royalty.

To the traditional music of the Royal March, Her Royal Highness, Queen Sara Schafer-Parrington, made her way into the ballroom wearing a simple but elegant formal satin strapless gold gown, married with a stunning necklace that complimented her crown of emeralds and gold. She donned a

Blackwatch plaid shoulder sash with her royal pin honoring King Kevin’s Irish heritage. Her hair was done by Shelly Taylor at Halo Boutique in Diamondhead and her beautiful makeup was done by Jill Sanderford of Diamondhead.

Waiting with great pride, the court, as well as the Krewe, welcomed Ali’I Honua the 46th, Kevin Parrington, to the traditional music, “If I Ever Cease to Love.”

The King entered the ballroom in a traditional Italian made white tux donning his king pin, crown lapels and “Don’t Tread on Me” cufflinks. To represent Boston the king also wore socks flared with Boston landmarks and sports teams. He then took his place, next to his queen and the royal court on stage.

The King and Queen paid recognition to their special guests, Wes and Jill Sanderford, Hank Breazeale and Jessica Stevens, Kevin Farnady and Lena Shearer, Megan Scheid and Anne Marie Kay.

The Krewe paid respect to the past Queens of Carnival for their reign and continuous service. In attendance were 1996 HRH Alice Burkhardt, 2002 HRH Carrie Perkins, 2003 HRH Till Garrison, 2010 HRH Janie Dropco, 2013 HRH Sandy Hatem, 2015 HRH Josette Grace, 2018 HRH Sarah Garcia, 2019 HRH Dinah Rhoades, and 2020 HRH Jamie Morgan.

The virtual entertainment program created for the evening was organized by Mark and Annette Williams and narrated by Hoppy Smith, with A/V support by Tom Koger.

At the conclusion of



Photography by Penny Majors

The Krewe of Diamondhead Queens Club (seated L to R): 2019 HRH Dinah Rhoades, 2002 HRH Carrie Perkins, 2003 HRH Til Garrison; (standing L to R) 2018 HRH Sara Garcia, 2021 HRH Sara Schafer-Parrington, 2015 HRH Josette Grace, 2010 HRH Janie Dropco, 2020 HRH Jamie Morgan, 2013 HRH Sandy Hatam.



Photography by Penny Majors

The Krewe of Diamondhead Kings Club: (L to R): 2019 HRH Ron Rhoades, 2013 HRH Mickey Hatam, 2021 HRH Kevin Parrington, 2020 HRH Scott McNamee, 2002 HRH Don Perkins

the entertainment, Ali’I Honua the 46th offered the traditional toast to the Krewe. The royal court then adjourned the stage in preparation of the King and Queens’s first dance. King Kevin and Queen Sara returned to the dance floor and led the evening’s dancing to the song, “It’s Good to Be King,” by Tom Petty.

The Krewe then enjoyed a fabulous dinner, prepared by Diamondhead Country Club. Dancing and merriment continued through the evening as the Alpha Tribe Band entertained

all with their festive tunes.

The DJ for the event was Ron Tallent and the official photographer for the royal court was Penny Majors.

Although the Krewe of Diamondhead will not be holding their traditional Mardi Gras parade on February 13th, they are working tirelessly planning a parade for the summer. The plans for the parade will incorporate multiple themes and be held around the 4th of July. For more information, please check out our Facebook page or

contact Parade Director, Sara Garcia at kdhparade@gmail.com

The Krewe will also be planning many events that do not limit themselves to the Mardi Gras season. Events such as dinners, dances and outings of all types will make the Krewe more fun than ever. There has never been a better time to become a member of our Krewe. If you would like to join the Krewe of Diamondhead, please contact our Membership Director, Stephanie Hardesty at staylor@ain1.com.

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by Yuki Northington and located at 201 Main St. in Bay St. Louis, earned the Best Overall Business award, which also included \$500 cash and the custom-painted oyster shell.

The “Best in the Bay” award went to 218 Keller St. Bay St. Louis Mayor Mike Favre will prepare a meal for 25 people including shrimp & grits, gumbo, salad and pecan pie bread pudding.

The “Most Wonderful in Waveland” award went to the home at 215 Hillcrest, which featured flambeaux for the theme “Keep the Flame Alive.” Waveland Mayor Mike Smith will present the family with an original artwork created by a local artist, and the family will also receive a \$100 gift certificate to Claiborne Hill Supermarket, plus a year’s supply of Domino’s Pizza.

The “Most Dazzling in Diamondhead” award went to 737 Anela Dr., which featured a “Marching Band.” Diamondhead Mayor Nancy Depreo will present the family with a \$200 gift card to Tiki Delivery and a \$250 gift certificate to Aloha Wine & Spirits. Be aware, if you’re going to drive by the house to see the decorations, there is also an Anela Court and Anela Street.

A special “Wildest Home” award went to Gayle Adams on Court Street in Bay St. Louis. Adams will receive a free trip to Wild Acres wild animal sanctuary in McHenry in Stone County, including the “Sloth Experience.”

Mrs. Mississippi Jaimee Dorris — one of the contest judges — also announced a special



Photo by Geoff Belcher | Sea Coast Echo
Elise Deano, left, Mrs. Mississippi Jaimee Dorris and Kay Kell on Saturday present the awards to the winners of the Hancock House Floats Mardi Gras celebration.



Photo submitted

Social Chair, owned by Yuki Northington and located at 201 Main St. in Bay St. Louis, earned the Best Overall Business award, which also included \$500 cash and a custom-painted oyster shell.

“Miss Congeniality” prize for the home at 450 Easterbrook St. in Bay St. Louis.

Deano and Kell also presented door prizes to 35 contestants whose names were selected at random, including gift certificates, hotel stays, artwork and services.

The door prizes included:

- A handmade bird

house, paint and brushes (Jeremy Burke/Kristen Tusa)

- \$250 gift certificate to Anchor Tax (Sandi and Jerry Favre)
- Two week advertising/on air sponsorship with WQRZ (Brittany Necaise)
- \$100 Lowe’s gift card sponsored by Bay Home Inspectors (Robin Negrotto)

• Leather and Pearl necklace and earrings sponsored by Bee by the Bay gallery (Amy and Ted Longo)

- Basket of goodies and gift cards sponsored by Rebnewing Touch Therapies (Jessica Gauthreaux)
- Turned Wood bowl by Al Reisz (Vanessa Favre)
- Mardi Gras Queen

painting by Michelle Allee (Katie Baker)

- \$100 gift certificate to Derek Doyle (Bob and Donna Martin and Shamariah Geisel) (there were two of these donated)
- \$250 gift certificate from Nettles Pressure Washing (Cathy Perniciaro)
- A year’s worth of pizza sponsored by Domino’s (Crystal David)
- A \$50 gift card to Rosetti’s Liquor Barrel and an On the Rocks gift set (Keith and Cathy Ferguson and Laurie Wheeler) (there were two of these donated)
- Budweiser boiling pot filled with goodies sponsored by Smoke N Ale/Cocktail (Missy Breath Altese)
- “Love from Bay St. Louis” sponsored by Wendy McDonald - \$25 gift card to: Mockingbird; Bijoubel; Social Chair; French Potager and Fleurty Girl (Margaret Kolbenschlag)
- \$100 gift card to Wishlist Flea Market and Mardi Gras candle (Beth Burleson)
- Five IPL hair removal laser treatments sponsored by the Hancock Women’s Center (Ida Stieffel Miller)
- \$25 gift card to Dempsey’s and Randazzo’s king cake (Denise Frickey)
- \$300 gift certificate to Caitlin Bourgeois Media (Dempsey’s Seafood and Steak)
- - set of Mignon Faget glasses and \$25 gift certificate to Rosetti’s sponsored by Dolly Lonnborg (Brenda’s House Family Center)
- Two general admission tickets to the Faery Court Masquerade Ball (Lisa Wilbourn)
- Weekend camper rental from Gulf Coast Camper Rentals (Wendy Sullivan)

- House floats ceramic from Clay Creations sponsored by Elise Deano (Michele Jacobs)
- King cake from Julie Vignes at Whipped, LLC (Krewe of Mystique)
- \$200 gift certificate from Warran Automotive (Ashley Halferty)
- Nutcracker by Susan Smith of Nuthin’ but Nutcrackers (Dina Rosetti)
- Martin Laborde painting from Bee by the Bay (Bonnie Garner)
- The ultimate “Baycation” \$100 gift certificate to The Pearl and \$25 gift certificates to: Bay Books; The Sycamore House; and Bijoubel (Susan Garcia)
- Mardi Gras Seahorse by Holly Bentz Coia (Yvette Powell)
- Framed Alice Moseley print (Judy Norris)
- Ed Edwards acrylic from Bee by the Bay (Marian Glaser)
- Mardi Gras glass cross by Cayce Starr/Creations by Cayce (Sarah Morgan)
- Ceramic Bodo sculpture from Bee by the Bay (Myrt Haas)
- - \$100 gift certificate from Heather Dubuisson/HD Hair and Make-up (Debbie Kuylen)
- “No one had a whole lot of time to prepare for this,” Deano said Saturday, “so we really appreciate how much effort everybody put into making this happen. ... We’re going to do it again next year, and it’s going to be even bigger and better.”

Hancock House Floats has created a Google Map of all the homes and businesses that participated in the first-ever Hancock County “Yardi Gras.”

You can access the map at Hancock House Floats Facebook page, and we’ve also shared it on the Sea Coast Echo’s Facebook page.

OLA’s Alexandra “Alex” Bujan wins the VFW Post 5931’s Voice of Democracy essay contest

SEA COAST ECHO

Our Lady Academy 9th grader Alexandra “Alex” Bujan was named as the Cecil R. Ruddock Veterans of Foreign Affairs (VFW) Post 5931 winner of the 2020 Voice of Democracy program. Alex was the recipient of this award based on her submission of her patriotic essay entitled “Is This the Country the Founders Envisioned” in October, 2020.

“It was her hard work, diligence, and knowledge of the subject matter that made her selection as our winner an obvious choice,” stated Mark A. Carter, USNSCW, Commander/President of Cecil R. Ruddock VFW Post 5931.

Alex explained the reason be-



Alexandra Bujan

hind her interest to participate in this contest, “I wanted to write this essay because people do not really know the history of our nation in much detail. Many do not

know the difference between a republic and a democracy. I wanted to explain to people what the difference is between the two. We need to have more information to understand about our past and we need to recognize how long it took us to become where we are now.”

Since 1947, the Voice of Democracy has been the Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW’s) premier scholarship program. Each year, nearly 57,000 high school students vie for more than \$2 million in scholarships and incentives. Students compete by writing and recording an audio essay on an annual patriotic theme. The 2020 theme was “Is This the Country the Founders Envisioned”.

St. Rose de Lima Lenten Catfish Dinners

SEA COAST ECHO

With so many events being cancelled, everyone wants to know, “Is St. Rose having its catfish dinners this Lenten season?” Well, the answer is YES. They’re going to provide drive-thru and delivery service in order to keep everyone protected.

Beginning Friday, February 19 and going through March 26, St Rose will offer its famous Mississippi-raised fried catfish, potato salad, green beans, bread, and cake

dinners for only \$10.00. Dinners will be available from 11:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m.

Drive thru will be available at the St. Rose de Lima Holy Spirit Center, 301 S. Necaise Avenue, Bay St. Louis, MS. Delivery to your home or business will also be available. Call 228-467-9700 or 985-346-7853.

Please be as “hungry” and generous as possible during this difficult time as we all fight to beat this pandemic and still have fun and fundraisers!

Krewe of Diamonhead hosts Luncheon



Photo submitted

The Krewe of Diamondhead recently held a luncheon celebrating Queen Sarah Schafer-Parrington and her royal court at the Diamondhead Country Club. Guests arrived in masks ready to celebrate their Krewe of Diamondhead royalty. Hostesses, Angie Burkhardt, Lou Ann Cox, Renie Dack, Pam Hense, Kelly Kennedy, Carol Lilley, Penny Majors, Mary Mizell, Jamie Morgan, Eileen O’Brien, Tracy Sheppard, Debbie Sykes, Gayla Torguson and Sue Warren designed a lovely luncheon with the Mardi Gras theme, “Boston Tea Party!” Queen Sara and her maids were adorned in their Blackwatch plaid sashes and blue dresses. A fun gift was given to the court and everyone in attendance enjoyed a great lunch prepared by the Diamondhead Country Club staff. For more information on joining the Krewe, please contact membership director, Stephanie Hardesty, staylor@ain1.com. Pictured: Seated L to R: Maid Kelly Kennedy, Queen Sara Schafer-Parrington, Maid Tracy Sheppard and Maid Gina Neman. Not pictured is Maid Stephanie Hardesty. Standing are the hostesses, (L to R) Eileen O’Brien, Debbie Sykes, Carol Lilley, Jamie Morgan, Gayla Torguson, Lou Ann Cox, Penny Majors, Angie Burkhardt, and Mary Mizell.

Sports

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Fuller & Hanlon sign with Holmes CC & Millsaps

BY JOSEPH W. GEX, II
STAFF WRITER

Saint Stanislaus had two student-athletes sign National Letters of Intent on Thursday, February 11, to play collegiate athletics next year.

Adam Fuller signed to play soccer for Holmes Community College and Jacob Hanlon signed to run track and field for Millsaps College.

Fuller is fresh off leading the Rocks soccer team to the Class 4A state championship with

a 4-0 victory over Ripley last week. In the game, Fuller scored on a penalty kick.

He also received major interest from Southwest Community College.

Fuller commented, "The campus is very nice and spread out. Everything about the school and program is very organized. The way that they coach at Holmes is how I like to play the game."

Fuller is undecided on a major field of study.

SSC head coach Zach Villarubia stated, "We are extremely proud of Adam and the opportunity he has to play at Holmes. He has been a very consistent player for us and we know that he will be an asset for Holmes. We look forward to watching him continue to develop and progress not only as a soccer player but also as a person. Congratulations, Adam."

In addition to playing soccer, Fuller is also a member of the swim

team and Student Council.

Hanlon has run track and field for the Rocks for the last five years. He throws the discus and is expected to continue that discipline at Millsaps.

He also received major interest from Centre College in Kentucky.

Hanlon stated, "Millsaps is a smaller school which I feel suits me better for a learning environment. I am looking forward to getting up there and continuing to perfect my technique."

Hanlon is also a member of the football team and Student Council.

SSC track and field head coach Christian Baehr stated, "I am extremely proud of Jacob and all of his accomplishments. His leadership, hard work, and determination has lead him to this point in his

athletic career. He is a true man of character. I'm looking forward to seeing him excel as a Millsaps Major both in the classroom and on the track."

Hanlon is undecided on a major field of study.

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Jacob Hanlon, second from left seated, is joined by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hanlon, his brother, Henry, athletic director Stace McRaney, head track coach Christian Baehr, Dean of Students DP Daigle, and principal Gary Blackburn at his signing with Millsaps College.



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Adam Fuller, seated second from left, is joined by his parents and older brother, Alex, athletic director Stace McRaney, and principal Gary Blackburn at his signing with Holmes Community College.

Weather forces delayed start to local basketball playoffs

BY JOSEPH W. GEX, II
STAFF WRITER

The winter storm that inundated Mississippi over the weekend forced division tournaments and the first round of the basketball playoffs to be delayed due to treacherous traveling conditions.

The first round of the state playoffs were delayed from Monday and Tuesday evenings to Thursday and Friday evenings with Saturday scheduled for any make up days, if needed.

The second round playoff action was delayed to next Monday and Tuesday.

The Bay High girls are scheduled to travel to Florence while the Hancock girls will play on the road at Oak Grove on Thursday. The Lady Pirates host Northeast Jones.

The Bay High boys will travel to Quitman and Pass Christian will host Mendenhall on Friday.

day.

In last week's action in the division tournament, the Pass Christian boys won Division 8-4A defeating Moss Point 56-35.

In 6A action, the Hancock Lady Hawks fell to Harrison Central 33-29.

The teams were tied at halftime 17-17 and Hancock had their chances late in the game for the win but could not get a shot to fall.

Hancock head coach Jamie Sisco commented, "With the size of Harrison Central, we knew we would have chances at some easy baskets. But, we also had to hit some outside shots. We had some good looks but we only connected on two. I thought we were really good on defense and played very hard. As a coach, I have to do a better job in the game of getting us the best shot we can get."

Jenna Garriga led Hancock with 12 points.

On Thursday, the Lady Hawks dispatched the Lady Hurricanes of West Harrison 54-18. Hancock enjoyed a 30-2 halftime advantage.

Sisco stated, "We got to play some younger players in tournament action. Tonight, we got our shots to fall. Now, the real season begins."

Garriga, Taylor Lauckner, and Cuevas all had seven points. Garriga and Maddy Ladner were selected All-Region.

The Hancock Hawks fell to Harrison Central on Monday night 60-44 before falling to West Harrison 39-37 in a heartbreaker.

Coach Goley stated, "We got complacent at the end and stopped attacking. That is my fault as the players were only doing what we asked them to do. West Harrison made some big shots, especially late. I hate it for Pierce Perkins, Constantine Morant, Trey Castiglione and

Scott Shipman who all have been the epitome of a Hancock Hawk. They have led by example and I am proud of them."

Constantine Morant was selected All-Region and led the Hawks with 16 points.

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OLA names Alexandra "Ally" Gaspard as dance coach

SEA COAST ECHO

Our Lady Academy (OLA) dance program has named Alexandra "Ally" Gaspard as the new dance coach for the 2021-2022 season. Ally, a 2017 OLA graduate, performed as a cheerleader for four years while on campus as a Crescent and danced competitively winning numerous awards and scholarships.

Ally extended her dance career by earning a position on the String of Pearls dance program at Pearl River Community College (PRCC). Serving as captain of the String of Pearls, Ally performed at numerous football and

basketball games and competed at Nationals in Dallas, TX. She was also honored with an invitation to perform with singer Rochelle Harper at "The Convey



Ally Gaspard

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THURSDAY 2-18-21

- Archery: Hancock at d'Iberville, TBD
- Baseball: Hancock vs Picayune, 7 p.m.
- Baseball: Pass Christian vs Picayune at Hancock
- Basketball: Bay High girls at Florence (1st round of Class 4A playoffs), 6 p.m.
- Basketball: Hancock girls at Oak Grove (1st round of Class 6A playoffs), 6 p.m.
- Basketball: Pass Christian girls vs Northeast Jones, 6 p.m.
- Softball: Hancock vs Pass Christian, 6:30 p.m.
- Track and Field: Hancock at West Harrison, 4:30 p.m.

FRIDAY 2-19-21

- Basketball: Pass Christian boys vs Mendenhall (1st round of Class 4A playoffs), 6 p.m.
- Basketball: Bay High boys at Quitman (1st round of Class 4A playoffs), 6 p.m.
- Softball: Hancock at d'Iberville, 6:30 p.m.

SATURDAY 2-20-21

- Baseball: Saint Stanislaus vs St. Patrick, 2 p.m.
- Softball: Pass Christian at Gulfport Tournament, TBD.

MONDAY 2-22-21

- Basketball: 2nd round Class 4A girls playoffs - winner of Bay High/Florence vs winner of Raymond/Sumrall, 6 p.m.
- Basketball: 2nd round of Class 4A girls playoffs - winner of Pass Christian/Northeast Jones vs winner of Greene County/Lanier, 6 p.m.
- Basketball: 2nd round of Class 6A girls playoffs - winner of Hancock/Oak Grove vs Brandon, 6 p.m.
- Softball: OLA at Ben's Ford, 5:30 p.m.
- Golf: Hancock at Oak Grove Invitational, TBD
- Tennis: Bay High vs SSC/OLA, 4 p.m.
- Tennis: Pass Christian vs East Central, 4 p.m.

TUESDAY 2-23-21

- Archery: Pass Christian at St. Martin, 5 p.m.
- Basketball: 2nd round Class 4A boys playoffs - winner of Bay High/Quitman vs winner of Raymond/Poplarville, 6 p.m.
- Basketball: 2nd round Class 4A boys playoffs - winner of Pass Christian/Mendenhall vs winner of Forrest County • AHS/South Pike, 6 p.m.
- Baseball: Pass Christian vs Long Beach, 7 p.m.
- Baseball: Saint Stanislaus vs Taylorsville at Petal, TBD.
- Softball: Hancock vs Pascagoula, 6:30 p.m.
- Softball: OLA at Pass Christian, 6 p.m.

SHORE THING | LADNER: A Family Tradition

As a full-time fishing guide, there are few things more terrifying than pulling up to the dock in the morning, and seeing a boat load of LADNERS. I'm kidding, but when Captain Darien(pronounced Darren) Ladner and his family are at the dock, you'd better bring your A-Game that day! I've fished next to his family several times, and it is always an impressive show. From pin point casting to quick netting, that crew runs like a well oiled machine

Darien has been working for Shore Thing Charters for many many years now. He is probably our most requested guide. Once customers fish with him, they will seldom wanna fish with any of our other guides. He's extremely personable, funny, hardworking, and one of the best fishermen I have ever seen. As if that wasn't enough, every member of his family are absolute fishing and hunting machines. Hats off to Darien, he schedules plenty of days for his wife and kids to fish.



Shore Thing Fishing Report
By Capt. Sonny Schindler

They plan their off times from work and school around peak hunting and fishing times. So when we pull up to the dock, and he's got his family out fishing with him, we all pray that we land on fish. It is all but guaranteed that the boat load of Ladners is coming back to dock with a pile of trout, reds, triple tail and what ever other unlucky fish is within range of their casts.

Capt "D" did things right, from the very beginning. He and his wife Julie started bringing their 2 daughters Calynn, Carly, and their son Colton, fishing and

hunting from the get go. Their kids are all adults now, which makes them even more of a force to be reckoned with. They all know how to do every aspect of a fishing trip. Driving and backing up trucks/trailers, rigging and baiting lines, driving a boat, cleaning fish, and cleaning a boat. They are all meticulous with their stuff. The teachings they learned from the outdoors have carried over into other areas of their lives. Colton took a hobby of working on old Ford trucks, to building show trucks that are nationally recognized. Carly has her pilots license, and Calynn is kicking butt up at Mississippi State.

The entire family has done well in every thing they have pursued in life. Nothing was given to these folks, they have worked their tails off. The same mentality carries over into their fishing and hunting trips. Luck left the building a long time ago with this crew. They get up in the wee hours of the morning, to make sure their gear is ready, and are first in line

at the bait shop. They aren't scared to burn gas, and go where ever they think the fish are(they are usually right). The areas they hunt are very difficult to get to as well. Hard Honest work has blessed them with many gifts, awards, and trophies. It also filled their freezers with plenty of trout, redfish, triple tail, and Venison. Just this past hunting season, Darien shot a 170 inch Monster buck, ON PUBLIC LAND!!!

Colton was there for that one. A few weeks later, his daughter Calynn bagged a huge 9 point she had been chasing all season.

It has truly been a pleasure, working and playing with the Darien and his family. He is always happy to help, and we have learned a lot from him and his crew. Sure, we have learned plenty about fishing and hunting stuff, but we have also learned a lot about what it means to be a good human being. So here's to my favorite bunch of LADNERS!!! Yall are the best!!!

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Awards" in 2015. She later was requested to choreograph the Picayune Junior High School dance team and to orchestrate a summer dance camp.

Ally stated, "I am blessed to have been afforded the opportunity to study under various talented dance directors for many years and am extremely excited to take on as coach of the dance program at OLA.

Dance has been a significant part of my life. In fact, my love for dance started when I was only 18 months old. I hope to inspire the art of dance, and share my passion, knowledge, and enthusiasm with the young ladies at OLA."

Since graduating from PRRC with an Associates in Art, Ally is continuing her undergraduate studies at the University of Southern Mississippi (USM) in pursuit of a bachelor degree in Elementary Education. In addition to pursuing her degree at USM, she is currently teaching dance at the Studio of Classique Vibe.

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